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PIRATES' EFFORTS TO SINK ORDUNA

Torpedo Fired at Cunard Line Steamship Without Warning, Endangering Lives of 227 Passengers and Crew.

VESSEL WAS MISSED BY ONLY TEN FEET

Gunfire Employed When Torpedo Missed Its Mark—Twenty-Two of Orduna's Passengers Were Americans.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The Cunard liner Orduna, bound from Liverpool to New York with 227 passengers, including twenty-two Americans, was attacked without warning, it was learned on her arrival here today, by a German submarine on the morning of July 9.

Twenty miles from the grave of the Lusitania, off Old Head of Kinsale, the Orduna escaped the Lusitania's fate by one-half a second of time, or ten feet of space, the German torpedo churning the water that distance behind the liner's rudder. Then the Orduna sped away. She was followed by the submarine, which rose to the surface, manned a gun on her deck and shelled the fleeing steamer.

The attack was at ten minutes to six o'clock in the morning, when all but a few of her passengers lay sleeping in their berths. Aroused by stewards, the passengers dressed hurriedly and went to the upper deck, where they put on lifebelts and took their places at the lifeboats. They heard the scream of the shells and saw the ocean spit up columns of water where the shells struck. When the fire grew warmer, they were ordered, for their own protection, to the next deck below.

For half an hour the Orduna showed her heels to her assailant. Through marine glasses the passengers watched the dark patch on the water's surface astern. They saw the low-lying German warship coming on, but the Orduna's flight was faster than the pursuit, and after seven shells had been fired without effect, the submarine gave up the chase.

A wireless call for help was sent out by the Orduna when the torpedo was seen. She was then thirty-seven miles south of Queenstown. The reply, Captain Taylor says in his official report, was that help would be given within an hour. It was four hours before the first British vessel, an armored yacht, the Jeanette, appeared.

Protest will be made to the American Government by at least one citizen of the United States, and possibly others who were on board. Wm. C. Thompson, council to the Federal Industrial Relations Committee, who went abroad in his official capacity last March, and was returning to complete his mission by making a report, is the passenger who said today that he would make a vigorous protest to the American Government. Another passenger was Baron Marcus Rosenkrantz, who married Miss Rebie Loewe, of Atlanta, Ga.

On Official Business

"It probably will be several days before I shall make my report on the attack and my protest," Mr. Thompson said. "I consider I am in duty bound to do it. As an American citizen employed in an official capacity by the Government to go abroad, I feel that I should bring the Government's attention to the attack.

"I felt that I had a right to return home on the Orduna, although she flies the British flag, because she is a passenger ship. The fact that she had no munitions of war on board fortified this opinion. The Orduna, an unarmed passenger ship carrying no munitions, was deliberately attacked without warning, pursued and subjected to shell fire. It is little short of marvelous that she was not sunk, with all on board.

"In making my protest to Washington, I shall proceed along these lines, combining with the protest a report of the attack as I saw it."

Whether the submarine hid behind an American ship, the bark Normandy, from Gulfport, Miss., was a point upon which passengers held varying opinions. A small sailing ship, with two American flags painted on her side, was sighted just before the attack. Captain Taylor, suspicious of the craft, changed his course. Soon afterwards the torpedo was sighted.

There was no certainty as to the identity of this ship that displayed the two painted American flags, but one of the passengers believed that he made out her name to be Normandy, through his glasses. The American bark Normandy was known to be in the vicinity at the time. When she reached Liverpool on July 12, some of her crew said that a submarine had used her as a shield from which to manoeuvre against and torpedo the Russian steamer Leo, a story that the Normandy's captain denied.

The Leo was torpedoed twenty miles, approximately, from where the Orduna was attacked. The Normandy's crew say the submarine held them up on the evening of July 9. The Orduna was attacked the same day, but in the morning.

Captain's Official Report

Capt. Taylor's official report of the attack, issued late this afternoon by the Cunard Line, reads as follows:

"At 5:50 a.m. on July 9, a lookout man on the after bridge rang the telegraph, at the same time pointing his hand downward and out on the port beam. The third officer immediately went aft to inquire what was seen. He returned quickly and reported that two men had seen a torpedo pass across the stern within ten feet of the rudder.

"In the meantime both the chief officer and myself distinctly saw the trail of the torpedo extending from the stern to about 100 years out on the port beam. About eight minutes afterwards the chief officer and I saw the submarine come to the surface about two points on the starboard quarter, a distance of about three-quarters of a mile, with five or six men on her deck getting a gun ready.

"I immediately ordered all speed, changed the course and brought the ship right astern, when they began shelling us. The first shell struck the water abreast of the forecastle on the starboard side, about thirty feet off. The second dropped just under the bridge, the third abreast of No. 5 hatch, quite close alongside, the fourth under the stern, sending up a column of water forty feet high; the fifth, sixth and last shells all fell short. The firing then ceased and the submarine was soon left far behind.

"Marconi distress signals were sent out at once.

"We were thirty-seven miles south of Queenstown. I received a reply that assistance would be with us in an hour, but it was four hours before the small armored yacht Jeannette appeared.

"I account for the torpedo missing the ship by their misjudging the speed and allowing fourteen knots instead of sixteen, which we were travelling at the time. The torpedo only passed ten feet clear.

"It was an ideal day for a torpedo attack, light wind, a light ripple, clear weather. The periscope could have only been a few inches above the water, for a very strict lookout was being kept at the time. Not the least warning was given and most of the passengers were asleep at the time. It was another attempt at brutal murder.

"We had twenty-two American passengers on the ship."

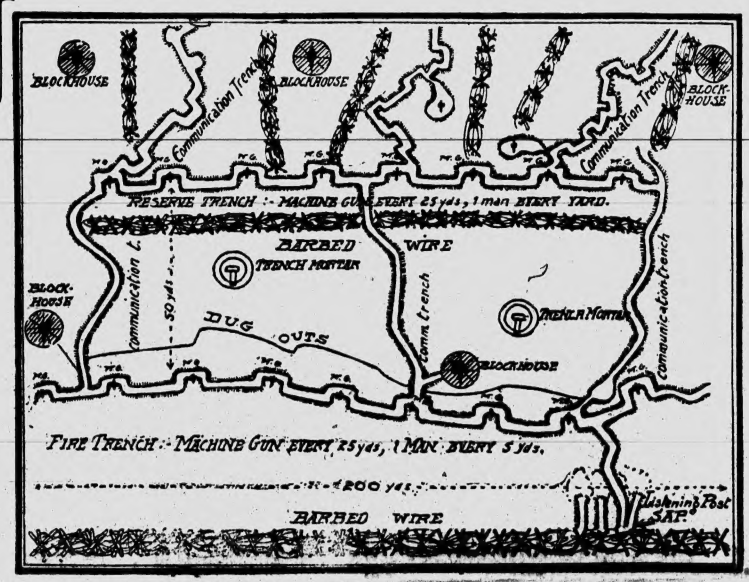
Machine Guns Are Now Replacing Riflemen in the Trenches



A French Machine Gun in Action as an Anti-Aircraft Gun



A Maxim Machine Gun in Action in a Trench



This drawing was made for The Montreal Star by one of the soldiers in the trenches. It shows a recently captured section of German trenches at L———. It was sketched from the top of the parapet. Especial notice must be drawn to the number of machine guns in the front line of trenches. The fire trenches are eight feet deep, while the second line are made of reinforced concrete. Near each communication trench are barbed wire entanglements, which are thrown into the trenches if the men in the fire trenches are compelled to evacuate. Blockhouses are held by about fifty men. If the trenches are captured or blown up the occupants of the blockhouses are caged in their dugouts beneath the blockhouses and generally buried alive.

MACHINE GUNS ARE VITAL NEED

We are short of machine guns. The superiority of the Germans in material was most marked in heavy guns, in their high-explosive shells, in their rifles and perhaps most of all in their machine guns.

The Germans were fully prepared to batter down the deepest trenches of the enemy with heavy guns and high explosives and to defend their own trenches with machine guns.

What the next move of the Germans will be it is not easy to forecast, but if it should be to concentrate upon our forces in the West it is vital—it is vital—for the life of our people, it is vital in order to enable them to retain their position that every available machine gun which can be produced should be turned out without the least delay.

Our problem now is to organize victory, not to take it for granted—Right Hon. David Lloyd George in the House of Commons on June 23.

VANCOUVER'S GOOD WORK

People of Terminal City and District Contribute Sixty Machine Guns—New Westminster Helps

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 17.—Over sixty machine guns have been subscribed by the public-spirited citizens of Greater Vancouver since this splendid campaign was inaugurated by two officers from the 47th Battalion a week ago Monday.

Cash for half of the contribution is already in the hands of the committee in charge of the campaign, and thousands of dollars are being received daily by Messrs. C. Marpole, R. V. Winch and E. R. Ricketts.

Considerably over half a dozen guns have been subscribed by the people of New Westminster.

Martial Law in Captured Province

PRETORIA, July 17.—General Botha has proclaimed martial law in the captured province of Gorso, Southwest Africa.

Austrian Emperor

ROME, July 17.—The Idea Nazionale states that Emperor Francis Joseph has been compelled to abandon his contemplated visit to the front owing to his mental and physical condition. He is reported to be suffering from hallucinations since Italy declared war on Austria-Hungary.

BAD SITUATION IS MADE WORSE

Latest Attempt at Brutal Murder by Germans Will Further Strain Relations—Official Investigation Awaited.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Into the grave situation that has developed between the United States and Germany over the sinking of the Lusitania was thrust another issue today, when it was revealed that the British steamer Orduna, carrying a score of Americans, had been attacked by a German submarine.

Should first reports of an attempt to torpedo without warning be borne out by the official investigation about to be instituted, it was indicated in official circles that the United States will probably regard the incident as adding a grave element to the already strained relations between the two countries.

Lacking information as to the circumstances, the officials were unable to predict tonight to what extent the Orduna case would aggravate the situation; but they thought the question would certainly compel serious consideration by President Wilson and his cabinet in formulating the next step in the policy of the United States towards the activities of German submarines and the safety of Americans on the high seas.

Although the Orduna escaped unhurt, this, in the view of officials, does not relieve the case of grave possibilities. The fact that a belligerent ship bound for the United States with Americans on board and without arms and ammunition or contraband cargo—which has been the reason assigned for the provocation for previous attacks—was assailed while her passengers slept, convinced many officials that the theory they had entertained of an actual change in the practice of German submarine commanders apparently had been dissipated.

One point upon which the entire case, so far as the United States is concerned, may hinge, is whether any attempt was made to halt the Orduna by the customary warning signal, either by flag, megaphone or shots across the bows of the vessel.

Awaiting Reports

As yet the case is not officially before the State Department, but as soon as the American passengers file their statement as to what took place the question will undoubtedly be brought immediately to the attention of the German Government for a report from its submarine commander on the circumstances of its attack.

The captain and officers of the Orduna have stated that no warning or signal had been given when the torpedo was seen streaking through the water. Officials here thought, therefore, that any attempt made by the Orduna to escape was probably justified. Her subsequent actions, they believed, could be upheld in the interest of self-defence. Irrespective of whether or not a signal was given to the Orduna to halt, or whether the shots fired by the Germans came without warning, the view which impressed officials tonight was that German submarines had not abandoned their attempts to destroy enemy passenger vessels, whether carrying contraband or not, and that American citizens seemed still to be subject to hazards from which under previously accepted rules of international law, they should be immune.

Secretary Lansing said tonight that he would have no announcement to make on the case until it was brought to his attention in some official way by Americans who were passengers on the ship. It is believed likely that the British embassy will submit the statement of the Orduna's captain for the information of the American Government.

GERMANY'S NICE ALLY

Turks Expel All Secretaries of Embassies Left to Guard Archives—Many Old Turks Drowned

ATHENS, July 17.—Recently the Turkish Government expelled all secretaries who, on the outbreak of the war, were left at the English and Russian Embassies in order to guard the archives. Now the Turks have meted out the same treatment to M. Ledoux, who remained behind in Constantinople to look after the property of the French Embassy. M. Ledoux has just arrived in Athens.

Many Old Turks have been done away with in a manner which used to find favor in Abdul Hamid's eyes. They were tied in sacks and thrown into the Bosphorus.

The relations between the Turks and the Germans, M. Ledoux adds, are not at all good, and the Germans make no secret of their intentions, if they win, to turn Turkey into a German protectorate.

As the Turks are incapable of ruling foreign subjects, all subjects of the Entente Powers now interned or under surveillance in Turkey are about to be sent to Asia Minor.

Germany's Coal and Iron

LONDON, July 17.—The Cologne Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, in commenting on the German Government's plan to control the coal trade of Germany, warns the country that the Government may be obliged to take a similar step with regard to the iron industry.

Aviator Vedrines Promoted

PARIS, July 17.—Army orders made public on Thursday promote the aviator Vedrines to the rank of adjutant for success in a perilous exploit. The nature of the exploit is not detailed, and there are many conjectures as to what he accomplished to win promotion.

STORY OF FIGHT AT FONTENELLE

French Official Eyewitness Describes Attack by Which Position Was Taken—Deadly Fire of French Artillery.

PARIS, July 17.—A French official "Eyewitness" at the front has sent a dispatch giving details of the success of the Entente Allies in the battle of Fontenelle, in the Vosges. The scene of the conflict is in the neighborhood of the village of Senones and the forest of Ormont, and the ground is described as undulating and cut by deep ravines.

It was in this region, says the observer, that the Germans, after the battle of the Marne, took up a position on a summit commanding the surrounding countryside. This hill was Height 627, which is known as Fontenelle.

"On June 22, after severe losses, the enemy succeeded in occupying Fontenelle," says the observer. "Although we counter-attacked vigorously, taking 142 prisoners, the enemy held the summit. General von Kudersen, in a report dated July 3, said that after a careful inspection of general works and trenches, he firmly believed that the hill had been transformed into an impregnable fortress and that its capture would necessitate tremendous losses.

"On July 8 all necessary preparations for the attack had been completed. The same day at nightfall three columns, aided by a remarkably accurate artillery fire, took a portion of the enemy's trenches. In the centre we also attacked, forcing the enemy back to the west of Launois in ten minutes. The attack on the left progressed more slowly, but, aided by gathering darkness, took possession of the northwestern portion of the hill.

"At daybreak not only the whole of the summit had been retaken, but a majority of the German defences as far as the road from Launois to Moyen-Moutier. Thanks to our artillery, all preparations for counter-attacks were immediately stopped.

"During the battles on July 8 and 9 we took 831 prisoners, including twenty-one officers. When questioned the prisoners gave great praises to our excellent artillery marksmanship, saying: 'We did not believe there could be such a hell of fire.'"

Officers Promoted

LONDON, July 17.—Capt. MacPhail, of the Canadian Engineers, and Capt. Cutlike, of the Veterinary Corps, have been promoted to the temporary rank of majors.

GERMAN DRIVE TOWARDS RIGA

Invasion Being Rapidly Developed, but With Small Chance of Ultimate Success—Russians Are Prepared.

PETROGRAD, July 17.—The German invasion of Russia is rapidly developing. While the Galician section of the general plan appears to be keeping up routine activity only, in another section, that between the Baltic and the lower Vistula, is moving with force and determination.

The main strategic objective in the north is evidently Riga, upon which the Germans have made several abortive attempts by sea. They have now poured considerable armies into the region between Libau and Shavli, and are advancing on a sixty to seventy-mile front, with the left resting on the Baltic and the right extending across the Libau railway to a point beyond the River Windau, in the direction of Popeliany and the railway twenty-six miles short of Shavli. The left is making directly for Goldingen, and is well forward of the right wing of the line.

The Russians are meeting the German advance at the river crossings on the Windau and Wenta and at other suitable points, but the opposition is offered only by cavalry and outposts.

There are no elements of military surprise in this movement of the Germans, which has been foreseen and adequately provided against in every respect.

Nevertheless the Germans may be expected to advance for some little time yet in accordance with Russia's general plans of defence against invasion. Those plans are based solely upon military considerations. Nothing else counts. There are very few towns, and the wealth of the country is mainly found in the castles of German barons who are Russian subjects. Many of these princely possessions have been specially stocked in aid of the German invasion, and the Russian authorities have been busy for some time investigating the loyalty of land owners in the Baltic provinces.

It is improbable that the Germans will gain much by their advances into the Baltic provinces on this occasion. Until they succeed in forcing the Russians to a general engagement and are victorious in such a battle, they have gained nothing whatever. Frontiers have no existence in war; only armies and strategic points, which they can utilize, count for anything at all.

On this principle Russia has steadily acted, well knowing that the victors will lay down frontiers with entire satisfaction for themselves when the time comes for map-making. At present, only armies count.

Priests Accused of Espionage

FLORENCE, July 17.—Pope Benedict has appealed to King Victor Emmanuel on behalf of priests accused of espionage by the Italian troops, according to the newspaper Nazione. The Nazione today published an interview with "a high prelate," who said he was a bearer of the message from the Pontiff to the King. His Holiness was quoted as saying he had instructed his clergy to refrain from any acts that might be interpreted as aid to the armed forces of any belligerent.

To Silence Socialists

LONDON, July 17.—The Copenhagen correspondent of The Daily News wires: "A private dispatch from Berlin, which was passed by the German censor, says excitement is growing rapidly among the German population on account of the Social Democrat pamphlet demanding a rapid conclusion of the war, owing to the increasing prices of all foodstuffs. Martial law will be declared all over Germany to suppress all demonstrations."

SHELL AND MINE ARE MUCH USED

Steady Cannonading in Artois and Other Districts of Western War Theatre—Civilian Killed by Shell in Rheims.

VIOLENT ATTACKS ON MEUSE HEIGHTS

Enemy Succeeds in Regaining Foothold at One Point—Other Attempts Checked by Rifle and Artillery Fire.

PARIS, July 18.—The following official communication was issued by the War Office tonight:

"In Artois the cannonade has diminished in intensity; some shells were fired into the town of Arras.

"On the right bank of the Aisne, in the district of Troyon, there has been fighting with mines, as well as a very violent bombardment. Twenty shells were thrown into Rheims, one civilian being killed and one seriously wounded.

"In the Argonne the day has been relatively calm, and no infantry action has occurred.

"On the heights of the Meuse the Germans, after last night's bombardments, launched a violent attack against positions from the Calonne trench to the village of Les Eparges. On the southern ridge of the Sonvaux ravine they succeeded at only one point in regaining a footing in the trench section which we captured on July 6. Some parties of Germans who succeeded in creeping into the ravine were killed or taken prisoners.

"Between the Sonvaux ridge and the Calonne trench the enemy was also repulsed with heavy losses.

"There has been a continuous bombardment in the front of Apremont."

Night Attacks Repulsed

Night attacks by the Germans in heavy force along various portions of the Western front were repulsed by the French at every point, according to the official statement issued by the French War Office early today.

The Germans today were continuing a heavy bombardment in the Arras district, particularly at Neuville St. Vaast.

The efforts of the enemy to regain lost ground near Ban de Sapt were defeated by the accuracy and fury of the French artillery, guns being massed at this position in large numbers.

The statement follows:

"In the region north of Arras the cannonading continued during the night. It was particularly violent to the north of Souchez and between Neuville and Roclincourt.

"In the Argonne there was bomb and petard fighting in the region of Marie Therese and violent cannonading at the ravine of Meurissons. Two German attacks against our positions on the side of Hill 263 (west of Bourcuilles) were repulsed.

"On the heights of the Meuse the bombardment of Les Eparges and in the region of Sonvaux, reported in the last statement, continued during the night.

"In Lorraine the Germans, about 1 a. m., delivered a new attack against our trenches in the district southeast of the forest of Parroy.

"In the Vosges the enemy last night launched an attack upon the positions which he had lost at Ban de Sapt. It was checked by our curtains of artillery fire and the fire of our machine guns.

"A coup attempted by the Germans at 11 p. m. upon our works at the Tournes farms (1,500 metres northwest of the village of Bonhomme) was completely defeated."

HOLLAND'S NAVY

Parliament Passes Bill Authorizing Immediate Construction of Two Cruisers and Four Submarines

THE HAGUE, July 17.—The Dutch Parliament yesterday took decisive action in support of a programme for a larger navy. The Second Chamber passed the Government's bill authorizing the immediate construction of two 7,000-ton cruisers and four 800-ton submarines, and appropriating $11,200,000 for that purpose.

A second bill, appropriating $80,000 for the purchase of naval hydroplanes, was passed by a large majority. The Chamber also authorized the Government to keep the army under colors and ready to resist any attempted violation of Dutch neutrality.

In advocating the passage of a bill adding six new warships to the Dutch fleet, several speakers declared that the increase at this time was only an emergency measure, and that the war had proved Holland must begin the construction of a navy commensurate with her position among the European powers.

They suggested that the Government await the outcome of the war before deciding whether dreadnoughts or submarines should be made the basis of Holland's new navy.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Colonist, July 18, 1865)

For West Coast—The gunboat Forward left last night with Superintendent Hankin on board. The vessel will stop off the West Coast to enquire as to the welfare of Buttle's exploring party. If nothing else been found of any importance, the Forward will carry Mr. Buttle to Nootka, where he will newspaper.

Sale at Craigflower—Mr. Bowman's omnibuses will be in attendance to carry purchasers to Scott's sale in the estate of Mr. James Currie, at Craigflower. Rudd's boats will also be in readiness at the ferry.

Naval News—H. M. S. Clio arrived at Panama from the Sandwich Islands on June 16, having on board Queen Emma, widow of Kamehameha IV., en route to England. The Clio is on her way here with supernumeraries for the Esquimalt squadron.

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PLANNED MURDER OF PASSENGERS

Finding of Court Presided Over by Lord Mersey Regarding Lusitania Crime—No Incompetence or Negligence.

LONDON, July 17.—"Torpedoes fired by a submarine of German nationality," caused the loss of the steamship Lusitania and her passengers, according to the findings of the Court of Inquiry appointed to investigate the sinking of the great liner.

The court holds that no blame for the tragedy attaches either to Captain Turner, commander of the vessel, or the Cunard Line, the owners.

"After having carefully inquired into the circumstances of the disaster," says the formal report of the court, "the court finds that the loss of the said ship and lives was due to damage caused the ship by torpedoes fired by a submarine of German nationality.

"In the opinion of the court the act was done not merely with the intention of sinking the ship, but also with the intention of destroying the lives of the people on board."

Other salient features of the report are that the lifeboat and lifebelt facilities were adequate, that the demeanor of the crew was above all blame, and that the conduct of the passengers, barring a slight panic when the steerage passengers came on deck, was praiseworthy. The court also finds that the ship was unarmed, and that her cargo was a general one, the ammunition aboard consisting only of 5,000 cases of cartridges, from which there was no explosion.

Lord Mersey, in handing down judgment today, said in part:

Did Their Duty

"The captain of the ship, Thomas Turner, gave his evidence truthfully and well. I am quite satisfied that the two captains and the officers were competent men, and that they did their duty. Captain Turner remained on the bridge till he was swept into the sea, and Captain Anderson was working on deck until he went overboard and was drowned."

The court here praised Leslie M. Morton, a member of the crew who shipped at New York and was acting as extra lookout man at the time the Lusitania was torpedoed, saying: "He was only 18 years old, but he seems to have exhibited great courage, self-possession and resource. He was the first to observe the approach of the torpedoes and before they had touched the ship he had reported them to the bridge by means of a telephone.

"Though knocked off his feet when a torpedo hit the Lusitania, and later having to swim for his life, the youth, aided by a member of the crew named Parry, righted a collapsible boat and was instrumental in saving nearly a hundred lives."

The court here analyzed the passenger list, giving the saved and lost by nationality and commenting upon the lack of a general panic. He added: "Some passengers attempted to assist in launching the boats, and in my opinion they did more harm than good. It is, however, quite impossible to impose any blame on them. They were all working for the best.

"The cargo was a general cargo of ordinary kind, but a part consisted of cases of cartridges—about 5,000. This ammunition was stored well forward on the upper and lower decks and about fifty yards away from where the torpedo struck the ship."

Lord Mersey then reiterated that the Lusitania carried no masked guns or troops.

Murderous Attack

Lord Mersey bitterly assailed the German Government, saying the act was "a murderous attack because it was made with a deliberate and wholly unjustifiable intention of killing the people on board."

Of the testimony of a second-cabin passenger, a witness describing himself as a French subject, who stated that he had heard an explosion similar to the rattling of a maxim gun, Lord Mersey said: "I do not believe this gentleman. His demeanor was very unsatisfactory and there was no confirmation of his story. It may be worth noting that Leith, the Marconi operator, who was in the second dining-room, speaks of but one explosion. In my opinion there was no explosion of any part of the cargo."

The warnings issued by Germany before the ship left he found, only aggravated the crime of her sinking.

Explaining the curtailment of boiler power, Lord Mersey said that the Lusitania had made five successive trips in this fashion before the disaster, and "in my opinion this reduction in the steamship's speed was of no significance, and was proper in the circumstances."

Lord Mersey described at some length the events immediately preceding the torpedoing of the vessel, giving her speed as 18 knots, and recounted details regarding the position of the ship as testified by Capt. Turner. Continuing, he said:

"The blow of the first torpedo broke No. 5 lifeboat to splinters. A second torpedo was fired almost immediately afterward, which also struck the ship on the starboard side. The two torpedoes struck the ship almost simultaneously."

A small gathering composed almost entirely of survivors of the Lusitania and their relatives listened to the reading of the findings by Lord Mersey.

According to their statements the report was a distinct disappointment to the American survivors who expressed indignant surprise at the position which exonerated Captain Turner and the Cunard Line from all blame, and commended the discipline of the crew. Several attorneys representing American clients listened closely to the reading of the judgment, which may have a great effect on actions brought against the steamship company. Among the spectators were Walter Webb-Ware, representing the Vanderbilt family; Major G. Warren Pearl and Mrs. Pearl, of New York, and F. B. Jenkins, of Chicago, survivors; and William Crichton, of New York, whose wife was lost.

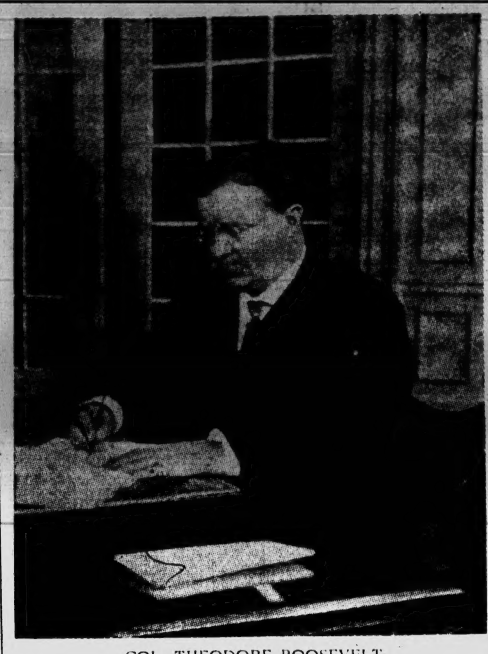
No Neglect

Before the reading began, Major Peart expressed the opinion that the decision would sharply condemn the officers of the ship and of the Cunard Line for negligence.

"No doubt there were mishaps in handling the ropes of the boats," Lord Mersey said, "but in my opinion there was no incompetence or neglect."

Baron Mersey found that Captain Turner had been advised fully by the British Admiralty as to the best course to follow, and added that in some respects he had not followed the instructions. The court pointed out, however, that the Admiralty's instructions were not intended to prevent Capt. Turner from exercising his individual judgment, and that his failure to follow the advices to the letter was no reason for blame. The reduction of the Lusitania's speed from 24½ to 21 knots still left the vessel faster than any other boat on the Atlantic, said Baron Mersey, and there was no reason to blame the Cunard company for this economy during war time.

As to the Admiralty's instructions, the court said that this part of the inquiry had been held in camera, and that it would be contrary to public interest to discuss it.



COL. THEODORE ROOSEVELT

PRICES OF FOOD ARE TOO HIGH

Socialists and Labor Unions in Germany Enter Strong Protest—Allege That "Harpies" Are Oppressing People.

BERLIN, July 17.—The executive committees of the Socialist party and the Federation of Socialist labor unions have united in a protest to the Minister of the Interior against any rise in the maximum prices of grain and flour. It has been intimated that there will be an increase when the Federal Council adopts the new regulations for the conservation and the distribution of this year's harvest. The executive committee of the Federation publishes in the Vorwaerts a manifesto "against food harpies." This manifesto is as follows:

"The general rise in prices is pressing even heavier on the poorer classes. The prices of meat have risen almost 100 per cent, under the ruthless exploitation of the situation caused by the scarcity of swine and cattle, and the rise continues. Consumption of this so important food product has become thereby almost an impossibility in the widest circles, particularly among the laboring classes.

"All other food products, particularly those recommended as substitutes for meat, such as vegetables, fish, eggs, milk, butter, cheese and sugar, are unusually dear and are steadily becoming more expensive. Speculation of the most unprecedented sort is again in evidence in the potato market. Potatoes stored for a month for price manipulations had to be unloaded in the spring and sold at low prices to dealers, who in turn are selling at profits of 200 to 300 per cent.

"It is now announced that the Federal Council is to increase the maximum prices of grain, which already are from 30 to 40 per cent higher than in times of peace. Bread, the all-important food, is to cost the people more. This will arouse indignation in the widest circles.

"In the name of the working class, upon whom the war already has imposed great sacrifices, we protest against any increase in the maximum prices. We demand instead a thorough regulation of the price-fixing in the provision markets, and effective protection for the people against food harpies. We demand that, without regard to the profit of producers and dealers, moderate maximum prices for food be fixed on a basis assuring adequate alimentation of the people, and excluding an enrichment at the expense of the people's food supply. The storing up of supplies in order to manipulate prices must be prevented by expropriation and compulsory sales.

"We urge party comrades throughout Germany to fight the food harpies by every means in their power. Representatives of labor in the Legislatures must above all exert every influence to assure a supply of food to the people at non-exorbitant prices."

Refused to Play "God Save the King"

LONDON, Ont., July 17.—Miss Odela Laue, a German-American pianist with an American concert company which appeared at the city auditorium here some weeks ago, has been discharged for her refusal to play "God Save the King," when requested to do so at the close of the programme on that occasion, according to a letter received today from Guy Charlton Lee, president of the National Society for Broader Education, of Carlisle, Pa., under whose auspices the company appeared. In his letter Mr. Lee characterized Miss Laue's conduct as disgraceful.

WILL WELCOME MR. ROOSEVELT

Premier and Members of Cabinet to Meet Noted American, Who Arrives This Afternoon on Flying Visit.

Yesterday Sir Richard McBride received an answer from Colonel Roosevelt in reply to the message he had forwarded conveying greetings of welcome to the ex-President on behalf of the people of British Columbia and expressing the hope that he would be able to stay at least a day in Victoria. Colonel Roosevelt thanked the Premier for his kindly message, but said it would be quite impossible for him to change his itinerary so as to make a more extended stay here.

Colonel Roosevelt, Mrs. Roosevelt and party are due to reach the city from Vancouver at 2:30 this afternoon. Occasionally the boat reaches her dock at an earlier hour, if a good run is made from the Mainland, and should that be the case tomorrow it will give the visitors all the more time here. The party will leave for Seattle at 4.30 sharp.

Sir Richard McBride and the other Provincial Ministers who are in town will make an official call upon Colonel Roosevelt on the arrival of the steamer, and the Premier has arranged to have on hand a number of motor cars in which the distinguished visitors and other members of the party will be taken for a tour of the city and environs.

Colonel Roosevelt will also be met on arrival by a committee of the Canadian Club, consisting of Mr. R. W. Perry, past president; Mr. John Cochrane, vice-president; Mr. Kenneth Ferguson, literary secretary; Mr. Frank J. Sehl, honorary secretary, and Mr. J. D. O'Connell. Members of the American Society will also be on hand to welcome their famous countryman.

COTTON IN AMMUNITION

Prominent British Expert Says Practically None Is Used in Manufacture of High Explosives

LONDON, July 17.—W. F. Reid, inventor of a process for making smokeless powder, and former president of the Society of Chemical Industry, declared at a meeting of the society last night that there was no truth in statements made by some scientists that cotton was absolutely necessary to the production of high explosive shells.

"There is practically no cotton used in the manufacture of high explosives," Mr. Reid declared. "The whole thing is a great fraud. There may be some trace of cotton in the explosive, but the bulk of it is coal products.

"Eminent scientists have made erroneous statements on this subject. If people associated with science would only speak on branches with which they are connected the advantage would be very great.

Walter S. Hopkins, secretary of the technical conference on the cotton question, says: "Not a single shell or bullet is fired by the British or Germans but is sent on its way by cordite or guncotton, both of which are made exclusively from cotton."

Toronto's Car Ferry Project

TORONTO, July 17.—Negotiations are being carried on whereby Toronto will have a car ferry service running between the mouth of the River Don and Port Dalhousie, with one round trip a day. The service will commence as soon as the Dominion Railway Board gives its order for the transferring of traffic by the Grand Trunk Railway from the harbor commission's dock at the Don to the Canadian Northern Railway at the company's Cherry Street yards.

Armenian Injures Turk

BRANTFORD, Ont., July 17.—Mamot Gikby, a Turk, is in the hospital with two broken ribs, the result of being struck with a piece of lead pipe in the hands of an Armenian fellow-worker. The fight followed a war argument. The police fear a general fracas between the Turks and Armenian colonies of the city, the war having served to intensify the hatred that has always existed between the two races here.

Ambassador Marye

PETROGRAD, July 17.—George T. Marye, American ambassador here, when apprised today of the report circulated in the United States regarding his resignation, expressed great surprise and said he was entirely at a loss to know how the unfounded rumor originated. He denied that he ever had contemplated such a step.



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PORTLAND, Ore., July 17.—With 103,000 bushels of wheat valued at $163,782, the British bark Kilmalie cleared today for the United Kingdom. The price of the wheat averages almost $1.59 a bushel, notwithstanding that the present market price is around one dollar a bushel. The exporter explained at the custom house that the wheat had been sold on contract several months ago, when the price was moving upwards.

France's Commerce Decreases

PARIS, July 17.—Customs statistics just issued show that the foreign commerce of France decreased 2,785,000,000 francs ($557,000,000) in the first three months of 1915, as compared with the same period a year ago. Of this amount $59,000,000 francs ($171,800,000) were importations and 1,926,000,000 francs ($385,200,000) were exportations.

Plagues in Galicia

ZURICH, Switzerland, July 17.—Asiatic cholera and smallpox are raging fiercely in Galicia, despite all efforts of the military and civil sanitary authorities to check them, according to dispatches received here. It is said that 120 cases of cholera were reported in Lemberg, capital of Galicia, last Tuesday, and that 419 cases of smallpox were reported in Galicia between the 4th and 10th of July.

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Seven-room House on Long Branch Avenue, will be vacant on July 31; unfurnished, per month...$40

Dwelling on Salt Spring Island, on waterfront, furnished; month, $15

Six-room House on Bee Street, Oak Bay, furnished, including piano, at $35

Six-room House, Cor. Fraser and Juno Streets, partly furnished, $25

Ten-room House on Clive Drive, fully furnished $75

Seven-room House, McLaren Avenue, furnished, with piano $50

Five-room House, Clover Avenue, modern, furnished $20

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MANY PRISONERS ARE REPORTED

Official Announcement Made of Names in Seventh, Eighth and Thirteenth Battalions—Pte. Milligan Is Mentioned.

OTTAWA, July 17.—The following casualty list was issued today:

2nd Battalion

(Previously Unofficially Reported, Now Officially Reported Died of Blood-Poisoning)

Pte. William Balser, Moncton, N.B.

7th Battalion

(Previously Unofficially Reported, Now Officially Reported Prisoners)

Pte. John Mudie Milligan, Victoria, B. C.

Cpl. Samuel S. Trumpour, Cherry Valley, Ont.

Pte. Alfred Joseph Cleeton, Rossland, B. C.

8th Battalion

(Previously Unofficially Reported, Now Officially Reported Prisoners of War)

Quartermaster-Sgt. Wm. Thomas Mercer, Eastbourne, England.

Sgt. Charles Bovill, London, England.

Sgt. Thomas Jones, Forest Gate, England.

Sgt. Ed. L. Jones, Birmingham.

Sgt. Thomas Sheriff Donaldson, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Cpl. Albert Wilson, Sheffield, England.

Cpl. George Rand, Cambridge, England.

Lce.-Cpl. Wm. J. Graham, Belfast, Ireland.

Lce.-Cpl. Henry Saunderson, Antrim, Ireland.

Pte. Ernest Hastings Allman, Norfolk, England.

Pte. Archie Baddeley, Leeds, England.

Pte. Frederick Percival Baker, London, England.

Pte. David Ernest Bell Little, Hampshire, England.

Pte. Edward Boyd, Newcastle-on-Tyne, England.

Pte. Joseph Alexander Bradley, Derry, Ireland.

Pte. Archie McAllister, Greenock, Scotland.

Pte. David McMullin, Down, Ireland.

Pte. Hugh McNally, Scotland.

Pte. Joseph McNally, Ireland.

Pte. Geo. Alexander McQuitty, Kirkistown, Ireland.

Pte. Arthur Pearson, England.

Pte. Harry Phillips, Suffolk, England.

Pte. Benjamin John Rands, Essex, England.

Pte. Harry Birtles Rowan, Sheffield, England.

Pte. Charles Russell, Leith, Scotland.

Pte. Alfred Sambrook, Shropshire, England.

Pte. William Siddall, Derby, England.

Pte. Wm. Henry Simpson, Dublin, Ireland.

(Prisoner of War)

Pte. Reginald Gordon Smith, Halifax, N. S.

Pte. John Brown, Lanark, Scotland.

Pte. Robert McG. Brown, Staffordshire, England.

Pte. Earl R. Butler, Ireland.

Pte. Hamilton Borradaile Chipman, London, England.

Pte. Archibald Harry Christopher, Kent, England.

Pte. George W. Clement, Darlington, England.

Pte. Arthur Frank Coleman, Swanage, England.

Pte. Reese Ivor Evans, Swansea, Wales.

Pte. Samuel James Perris, Aldershot, England.

Pte. Joseph H. Hughes, North Wales.

Pte. Harry Jackson, Ambleside, England.

Pte. John Kellagher, Ireland.

Pte. Thomas Stewart Leslie, Dundee, Scotland.

Pte. Angus McKiven, Argyle, Scotland.

13th Battalion

(Prisoners of War)

Pte. W. Evans, no address.

Pte. John Thompson, Auckland, N. Z.

Pte. John Heavyside, St. Lambert, Que.

Pte. Duncan Johnston, Burk, N. Y.

(Wounded and Prisoner)

Pte. Louis V. Lefebvre, Waterloo, Que.

14th Battalion

(Wounded)

Pte. John Moran, Montreal.

Pte. Walter Gordon York, Winchester, Mass.

SHELL ADVERTISEMENT

British Government Officially Repudiates Connection With Notice Which Appeared in "American Machinist"

LONDON, July 17.—The British Government yesterday officially repudiated connection with an advertisement which appeared in The American Machinist of May 6, concerning a new kind of high explosive shell, described as capable of causing wounds which result in death in terrible agony within four hours, if not attended to immediately.

"The Government," says the official repudiation, "have reason to believe the advertisement was not genuine, but was published with the deliberate intention of creating a false impression. No order for an explosive of such description has been given by the Government."

An investigation of the company which paid to have the advertisement inserted in The American Machinist, made on behalf of the United States Government, showed, according to the report of Assistant Solicitor Edwin Quigley, of the Department of Commerce, who made the investigation, that the company manufactured no bombs or shells, but turned out machines for use in drilling holes in metals. The company, it was said, explained that the advertisement was a mistake and that it would not appear again.

Soldiers in Disgrace

LONDON, Ont., July 17.—Samuel Miller, Leo Duffey and Lew Warner, soldiers in the 24th Battalion, were arrested yesterday charged with terrifying Mrs. Agnes Summers, an aged woman who lives alone, by going to her house in the early morning and threatening to burn it down unless she let them in. She escaped in her night clothes and called for help. She positively identified the men.

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AT **$1.90**—Prettily Checked Muslin Dresses, with vest of white and collar of embroidered muslin, in shades of mauve and white, navy and white and black and white; an exceptionally smart style. Also an assortment of fancy check ginghams and chambrays. Sale price **$1.90**

AT **$2.75**—At this price four very chic styles are included: Popular Suspender Dresses, with bodice of natural cotton shan-tung, with skirts of pink and blue linene; very smart, and trimmed with fancy buttons. Stunning Dresses of linene trimmed with the new "Quaker Collars and Cuffs" of white muslin, which are very new. And two other styles in fancy striped crepe and percale, with daintily trimmed collars and cuffs, also vest effects, in shades of mauve, blue and pink.

AT **$3.75**—"Something entirely new." Clever "Tunic Dresses," with skirts of white and tunics of tan, blue or white, finished with white rope girdle. The material is fine linene, specially adapted for this style of dress.

AT **$4.50**—Lovely Dresses of the new "Awning Striped Muslin," with Quaker collar and cuffs of fine white organdie; belt of black velvet ribbon. Shades are black and white, mauve and white, also saxe and white.

AT **$4.50**—Also many dainty "all-White Dresses in Swiss muslin, striped muslin and voiles, trimmed with fine embroideries and touches of ribbon; styles that feature all that is new.

AT **$5.50**—Many exquisite Dresses of fine cotton voile, white trimmed with pink, blue or sand, and pink, blue or sand trimmed with white; crochet buttons, collars and belt of white linen add smart touches to these beautiful Summer frocks.

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AUSTRIANS FAIL AT TWO POINTS

Attempts to Force Russians Back on Vistula and Dniester Fronts Are Foiled—Germans Advance in North.

GENEVA, July 17.—The Tribune prints the following dispatch from its correspondent at the front:

"The Austro-Hungarian forces which attempted to dislodge the Russians from positions along the Vistula River have been repulsed with heavy losses. The Russians, attacking in turn, occupied a mile of the Austrian trenches.

"Fresh Russian batteries which have arrived, and which have been posted on the Sereth River, have begun to bombard the passage across the Dniester River south of Zaleszczsky, forcing the Austrians to recross the river. Their retreat is being converted into a rout by Russian bayonet attacks.

"East of Horodenka, the Austrians occupying the left bank of the Dniester have been dislodged after a fierce hand-to-hand struggle.

"On the Stry River the Russians have succeeded in temporarily arresting the Austrian offensive."

German Drive in North

LONDON, July 17.—A new German offensive of huge proportions, with Riga, a great Russian seaport and seat of the Governor-General of the Baltic provinces, as its objective, is reported in the latest official statements given out at Petrograd and Berlin.

Military experts here construe the offensive to be a vast envelopment movement in which the Germans are making a great effort to destroy the Russian army.

Both the German and Russian communications agree that the German forces are at the Windau River, near Goldingen, only eighty miles from Riga, the great strategic commercial metropolis on the Gulf of Riga.

An official statement received today from Petrograd adds details of sanguinary fighting all along the new line in efforts to hold back the German advance, which now is being concentrated on Riga and on Warsaw, while the Austro-Hungarians are moving northward from the Dniester River. Advices reaching London today say that the Germans left a trail of destruction along the Baltic Sea from Memel to Libau, where the villas, hotels and casinos were destroyed, about the only exception, it is said, being the palace of a Polish nobleman whose cousin married an American woman. The palace is being used now as military headquarters. Prince Henry of Prussia and Field Marshal von Hindenburg recently conferred there on the new offensive towards Riga.

COMPLAINTS OF CREW

Men on Peruvian Bark Mario Allege That They Are Badly Treated in Various Ways

SEATTLE, July 17.—Charging that the Peruvian bark Mario is not seaworthy, and that Captain G. Noye, her master, is keeping them aboard the ship as prisoners, nine members of the crew of the sailing craft today made complaint by letter to Deputy United States Commissioner F. H. Chandler. The complaint was immediately communicated to F. A. Bartlett, the local Peruvian consul, who is investigating the charges.

The complaint testifies that the bark is in bad condition from top to bottom, that the food served them is not fit to eat, and that none of the crew are allowed to leave the vessel. It states also that one of the members of the crew has been ill for the past two months without receiving any attention from the master.

The Mario arrived in Seattle on July 10, seventy-four days out from Callao, Peru.

PRICES OF FOOD

Board of Trade Report Shows That Rise Is Much Greater in Germany and Austria Than in Britain

LONDON, July 17.—Statistics compiled by the Board of Trade Labor Gazette show that food in general is about 25 per cent dearer than a year ago in the large towns of England, and 30 per cent higher in the small towns and villages.

The Gazette quotes official German figures for May to show that the general level of food prices in Berlin during that month was 69 per cent above that of May, 1914.

No general average is given for Vienna, but taking individual items, beef was 106 per cent more in April than in the same month in 1914; bacon, 162 per cent dearer; eggs, 157 per cent; bread, 82 per cent; lard, 161 per cent; and so on.

Subscriptions to War Loan

LONDON, July 17.—Sir Herbert Samuel, Postmaster-General, has announced that apart from the five shilling and pound vouchers, $120,000,000 has been subscribed to the British war loan, which makes $45,000,000 additional to the amount announced by Rt. Hon. Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

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MANY IRON CROSSES

Decoration Freely Distributed Among German Soldiers—Celebration of "Recent Victory"

BERLIN, July 17.—(By wireless to Sayville)—"As illustrating the bravery of the German troops in the present war," says the announcement made today by the Overseas News Agency for transmission, "the fact is noticed that since the war began 3,500 iron crosses of the first class have been distributed. The regulations require that a soldier must have earned the cross of the second class before the cross of the first class can be conferred upon him."

BASEL, July 17.—The German Crown Prince, with Field-Marshal von Haseler and 2,000 officers and men, held a Te Deum in the Argonne forest in honor of "our recent victory." The Kaiser and the King of Wurttemberg sent congratulations. After the ceremony the Prince distributed iron crosses.

FLOOD DANGER OVER

Missouri and Kansas Rivers Not Expected to Cause Serious Damage to Cities on Their Banks

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 17.—Afternoon reports to the weather bureau led to a declaration tonight that danger to either the east or west bottoms here from flood waters from the Kansas and Missouri Rivers had been averted.

The Missouri River here stood at 27.5 feet all day. The crest is due here tomorrow afternoon, and is not expected to go over 28.5 feet. At St. Joseph, Mo., gauges gave a height of 10.6 feet, a rise of .1 of a foot over the morning reading.

The Kansas River here late today registered 35.9 feet, a rise of .4 of a foot since early morning. It is not expected to exceed 36 feet. At Topeka, Kas., a noon reading gave 31.9 feet. It was stationary throughout the afternoon.

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THE NEED FOR MACHINE GUNS

The campaign to raise funds for the purchase of machine guns for the Victoria battalions leaving for the front has only just commenced. The response up to date has been excellent. The Militia Department supplies each battalion with four quick-firers, and the proposal that these should be supplemented by private subscription is because of a desire that our troops should meet the enemy on as nearly as possible equal terms. All over the Dominion the suggestion that individual patriotism should supply a vital need has met with an instantaneous and enthusiastic response. Elsewhere in this Province upwards of $60,000 has been subscribed, and as the latest type of machine gun used by the British Army costs $1,000, this means that at least sixty additional quick-firers will be added to the equipment of the British Columbia battalions.

The idea the movement has in view is to secure sufficient funds to provide twelve machine guns to each battalion leaving here. These will be in addition to the four supplied by the Militia Department and will make sixteen to each unit. The Germans when they opened the war had 50,000 quick-firers and each battalion was provided with sixteen. How many have been added since is unknown, but in some parts of the German line there is one machine-gun to every twelve men. The Germans boast that a caretaker and his wife could defend some of their trenches, and they say "When we want to move a hundred men to another part of the line we just establish five or six machine guns in their place." To quote Mr. W. Beach Thomas, a correspondent, who has been "Somewhere in France" for many months, "the truth is that up to the present the Germans have everywhere a superfluity of these weapons, especially the smaller machine gun, which can be carried by a man, and the shell-throwing maxim, which is set on a tripod and swings as easily and smoothly as a large telescope."

We could quote instances innumerable to show the steadily rising value of the machine gun as a weapon in modern warfare and the manner in which it is displacing, to a great degree, the use of riflemen. One will be sufficient to illustrate the potency of the argument in favor of doing all that lies in our power to insure that our battalions go to the front fully equipped with quick-firers. At the Battle of Langemarck an advance by the Canadian troops had as its objective a wood which was captured after a charge across the open. During the charge hundreds fell before a concentrated machine-gun fire. The position soon became untenable because the enemy brought up more machine guns and forced the Canadians to fall back. The advance, and subsequent retreat, cost the Dominion troops 2,200 casualties, and nothing was gained. Elsewhere, and we fear more than once, British lives have been sacrificed in vain because of a shortage in equipment and because of the wealth of the German army in material aids.

A French general in pointing out the great offensive value of the machine gun, said: "We have before us only a handful of mediocre soldiers entrenched by the side of their innumerable maching guns, which they are using to complete the work of their heavy long-range guns." Whether for offensive or defensive work they have become invaluable aids in the system of trench warfare. The urgent need for an inexhaustible supply in the British Army was dealt with by Mr. Lloyd George in his first speech in the House of Commons as Minister of Munitions. He said that our men could defend themselves, that no men in the world could do it better, but that they could do it with less loss of life and more effectively if they were supplied with an adequate number of machine guns. To whatever source we look for inspiration on the subject we find the same vital demands confronting the Empire—more men, more high explosives and more machine guns.

It may be argued that it is the duty of the Government to supply all the weapons of war that are needed to insure victory, but the answer to this is, to again quote Mr. Lloyd George, "We cannot argue under shell fire, we must decide." Such a record of individual patriotism as is being exhibited in the provision of funds to purchase machine guns will undoubtedly spur on the Government to exert still greater efforts in the matter of adequate equipment for our soldiers. The records of Langemarck and Festubert, and scores of similar experiences in which British troops have participated, are the warrant we have to do all that is possible to save the lives of our soldiers and bring the hour of victory measurably nearer. We, one and all, according to our means, can help. We can [illegible] of to what our battalions remain leaves this city for the front unless it is equipped with sixteen machine guns. We can go further and share with Vancouver the privilege of giving more quick-firers to the 7th and 16th Battalions now on the battlefields of Flanders. It is not too much to hope that sufficient money will be raised to give guns to the 48th Battalion and the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles now at Shorncliffe.

What we have in view is a great patriotic task, the accomplishment of which will be the means of saving hundreds of lives, and of avenging the terrible losses that have overtaken the battalions we have already sent forth to fight out battles. The Colonist makes no appeal for any particular unit, but for all that have gone from here, or will in the future leave this city, for service under Sir John French. Any subscriptions that may be received by this paper will be forwarded to the Department of Militia, earmarked for the purchase of guns for Victoria battalions, or such battalions as have a certain proportion of Victoria troops.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT

It is not merely a passing compliment to say that the people of Victoria regret it was impossible for them to extend a formal welcome to Colonel Roosevelt. They would have been glad to have accorded him such recognition as is his due as a former President of the great nation with whom we have lived side by side for a hundred years in unbroken friendship. It would have given them pleasure to express in some appropriate way their appreciation of his attitude upon the great principles of liberty, civilization and humanity involved in the war. And, shall we confess it, they would have felt pride in extending the hand of fellowship to a man with plenty of red blood in his veins. We all like a man who does not fear to say and do what his manhood prompts. Colonel Roosevelt may not always have been right in the things he has said and done, but he has always thought he was right, and thinking with him leads to action.

In his personal life Colonel Roosevelt has set an excellent example to his countrymen. For many years he has lived in a glare like "the white light that beats upon a throne," and no discredit has ever been able to attach itself to his name. Concerning his political opinions and methods it would be unbecoming for us to speak in terms either of praise or blame; but we can say that it is a good thing for a country to breed men, who fearlessly and without hesitation are ready always to act upon their honest convictions. What place history will accord him in the long and honorable roll of American Presidents we may not venture to surmise, but we can say that his influence upon the American people has been wholesome, and that even those of us, who have been disinterested spectators of it, have profited by the career of Theodore Roosevelt.

THE WAR

This is the 352nd day of the war.

The news of yesterday did not contain many items of special interest. Along the Western line, the Germans seem to have attempted a general offensive, but it was nowhere formidable, and the Paris War Office says it was everywhere repulsed. The British and Belgian troops do not seem to have been engaged yesterday. Paris asserts that the recent activity by the enemy in the Argonne was intended as a definite attempt to make a breach in the French line, and that it has been definitely defeated. This is the third offensive movement by the Germans in the West that has proved a costly failure within a comparatively short time. The first was against the British line in Belgium and north of La Bassee; the second was against the French near Souchez, and that in Argonne was the third. Possibly a fourth attempt may be made in the Woevre. The French positions in the Vosges and Alsace seem to be too strong to make an attempt to force them worth while.

The German aggressive in northern Poland and Courland continues. No considerable progress has been made in either field, and Petrograd professes confidence that none will be. The Russians retire readily, but they escape defeat, and in a campaign in which time fights on the side of the Czar, this is infinitely better than the sacrifice of men in what might be a drawn battle. News comes by way of Geneva that the Russians have been very successful over the Austrians in southern Poland.

Nothing was heard from the Dardanelles yesterday, except a repetition of the statement that the Turks are growing short of ammunition. Statements purporting to come from Constantinople by way of Milan report so much depression among the Turkish troops and distrust by and of the Germans that a collapse of the campaign along the Dardanelles may be imminent. This must be qualified by the caution that the reports have not been officially confirmed; but such confirmation is very unlikely even if they are true.

The Italians have taken two passes west of Lake Garda, thus securing an avenue into the Trentino from the west.

WOMEN AND THE WAR

The women of Canada are exhibiting a fine appreciation of the duties which the war imposes on them. We think we may say, without being charged with exaggeration, that they have shown a spirit of self-sacrifice and patriotism worthy of the men who have gone or stand ready to go to the battle lines. Being from three to six thousand miles away from the nearest theatre of war, the activities in which the very great majority of them can hope to engage are of necessity limited to what can be done at home. Their sisters in the United Kingdom have greater scope for their energy and public spirit, and are availing themselves of it in a manner quite unprecedented and worthy of unstinted praise. We have before us a photograph showing young girls acting as stretcher-bearers in the trenches. From this, which is the consummate danger point, for where men have fallen wounded women may be stricken with death, to knitting in an armchair before the fire in the security of home there is nothing in the way of patriotic service women in the British Isles are permitted to do that they are not doing, nothing that they may hereafter be permitted to do that they do not stand ready to perform. Women as police officers, girls in training to be guides, women in fields and factories, women everywhere taking the places of men who are under arms. With women in the hospital we are all familiar, women tending field kitchens is something easily understood, but women taking up the daily tasks of men in civil life, shirking nothing, ready for anything, form a feature of war life few of us ever expected to see. Sometimes, when we look over the long list of those who are "dead on the field of honor," and know that among them are the fittest of our men, for, alas! war knows no such law as the survival of the fittest, we wonder who the fathers of the next generation will be; but there can be no doubt about the mothers. Womanhood has lost nothing of its grace and beauty, but has gained in majesty by the experiences of this war. "God give us valiant women," prays a Canadian poetess. The prayer has been answered.

WHEN THE BOYS COME HOME

We do not know when our soldiers will come home. It may be soon; it may be only after many more months of arduous service. But when they do come we will accord them a royal welcome. It cannot possibly be as good as they deserve, but it will be the best that our hearts can inspire.

But when "the tumult and the shouting dies," what then? This is the question that prompted yesterday's article about making British Columbia permanently prosperous. In a British paper, we think it was Punch, there recently appeared a cartoon entitled "The Optimist and the Pessimist." The optimist was a khaki-clad figure with a bandaged eye and a genial smile doing sentry duty in a pelting rain. The pessimist was a well dressed man in his comfortable home, standing, his back to the fire, reading a newspaper, with a scowl upon his face. We print letter after letter from the front; we are privileged to read many others, which the recipients or the writers ask may not be published, and we have yet to come across in them the first note of pessimism. There is never a word written for effect; there is no parading of patriotism. They show in every line a simple resolve to discharge a duty. What the writers of these letters are doing they are doing for us, who remain at home. Think of this. These gallant fellows are fighting for liberty. Whose liberty? Surely not their own in any special degree, for there is not a man of them who does not know that any day his only liberty may be that of a grave "somewhere in France." We have no wish to harrow anyone's feelings, but we most earnestly desire to force home upon those of us, who for one reason or other must confine our patriotic efforts to the home field, the thought that these men are fighting and dying for us, far more than for themselves. They are seeking to preserve for us a liberty that they may never enjoy. But some of them, beyond doubt the vary large majority of them, will come home again. What are we doing to make it possible for them to come home to a prosperous land? Do not try to shirk this question. Do not deceive yourself with the idea that some divinity that rules our destinies is going to provide employment and opportunities for the boys who will come home. Do not comfort yourself with the thought that the country will look after them. The country cannot look after them as they ought to be looked after, and what the country can do must be confined chiefly to those who are incapacitated for work. If a plebiscite could be taken in the trenches, we have no doubt that our soldiers to a man would declare that they have no wish to come home to be pensioners on public bounty. All they will ask will be employment and opportunity.

When are the stay-at-homes going to begin to mobilize their energy and resources? Are they waiting until some one guarantees them a certain profit on their investment of money and energy before they embark in anything that will provide employment for the boys when they are home again? If they are, let us remind them that the men at the front asked for no guarantee before they invested their splendid manhood in defence of all we hold near and dear. Do they think it will be time enough to begin their mobilization when the troops have been disbanded? Let us remind them that there is much preparatory work to be done to get ready for the welcome of the returning boys to prosperity.

Do not let us deceive ourselves by thinking the Government will provide something for them to do, or devise some policy that will meet the emergency that is certain to arise. Doubtless both the Federal and Provincial Governments will do everything in their power, but there are limits, and narrow limits, to which their activities must be confined. The case is one for individual action on the part of the people. New industries must be started. Take one of them, that of lumber exports. It is absolutely certain that, after the war, there will be a great demand for forest products. Every saw mill in the Province and many new ones will be able to run full time for many months, and perhaps many years, if means of transportation of lumber to the open markets can be provided. A great business could now be built up, if tonnage were available. British Columbia might become one of the most prosperous countries in the world, if we had means of carrying our lumber to the places where it is needed. Thus we would be able to have conditions very favorable to those of us who stay at home, and full opportunities for the men who will return from the war. There are other industries that could be built up, industries that are quite beyond the speculative stage, such as fisheries, metal refining and others which would require less capital at the outset, but might reasonably be expected to increase in magnitude.

For the present we will say nothing further on this subject, except to urge upon our people to begin to mobilize for business prosperity at the earliest possible day. We are told that we should in time of peace prepare for war. It is equally sound policy in time of war to prepare for peace.

GARDEN AND FARM NOTES

The Provincial Department of Agriculture has been kind enough to furnish us for several weeks past with some timely suggestions to farmers, gardeners and others engaged in some branch of husbandry. These have been greatly appreciated by readers, and we are glad to be able to say they will form a regular feature of our Sunday issue.

We are also in a position to say that the Department has consented to answer through The Colonist any questions that may be sent to us in regard to agriculture and its kindred industries. We suggest to readers, who do not preserve a file of The Colonist, that it might be well to clip out these notes and preserve them, for they are certain to be of permanent value.

We cannot understand what is meant by a "celebration" of the anniversary of the beginning of the war. An "observation" of that day is another matter.

"A shell is an impersonal sort of thing," writes a soldier from the front. "The man who fired it was not aiming at you in particular. But the sniper is your personal enemy."

In addition to the subscriptions to ambulance equipment acknowledged in yesterday's Colonist, three sums of $5.00 each have been handed to us, from "B. A. D.," "E. H." and "B. H." This makes the total $1,024.50.

The San Francisco Bulletin says the United States "wants faith, not facts," and the way to preserve the peace is by the exercise of faith. If we acted on this principle, we would send our ships to sea without lifeboats, we would tolerate jerry-built tenements, we would wind up our insurance companies. Far be it from us to suggest the inefficiency of faith. What we doubt is the efficiency of the people who wish us to rely upon it. "Trust in God and keep your powder dry," is good religion and good politics.

Many things have been charged against The Colonist, but to say that this paper ever assented to the proposition that "Rule Britannia" should ever be substituted for "God Save the King" as the National Anthem is among the most unwarranted. What The Colonist did say in some musical notes was that just now "Rule Britannia" made a stronger appeal to the sentiments of the people than the official National Anthem does. One reason of this is that "God Save the King" is used so very often that it cannot be expected to arouse enthusiasm; another is that Britannia is ruling the waves, and because she is you and we and every Britisher in British lands can "sit under his own vine and fig tree, none daring to make him afraid."

One of the bravest figures among the brave soldiers of France is that of Collignon, former Prefect, General Secretary to the President of the Republic, and Councilor of State, who enlisted at the age of fifty-eight, and insisted upon remaining a private. It was his great pride and delight to carry the colors of his regiment. He was a magificent figure of a man, tall and majestic. He had a full white beard, and bore the rosette of the Legion of Honour on his breast. Because the army shoes hurt his feet he went about barefoot or in sandals. He was killed at Vauquois. In the midst of a storm of bullets from machine guns he went out to rescue a fallen comrade. Now at every roll-call of the Forty-sixth Regiment of Infantry we are told his memory is perpetuated.

WORTHLESS PROMISES

Torpedoing of Neutral Steamer Rym Without Warning Illustrates German Bad Faith

LONDON, July 17.—News of the torpedoing of the neutral steamer Rym by a German submarine without warning has caused another outburst of indignation here. In connection therewith the evening papers assert editorially that the announcement of the German Admiralty that every precaution is being taken to prevent loss of life on torpedoed ships is only "for American consumption."

"Another pledge broken," says one paper. "The sinking of the Rym and the killing of one of her crew without warning ought to show America that the German promises are not to be trusted."

The Russian infantry uses a rifle sighted up to 3,000 paces and with a magazine capacity for five cartridges. The infantry men are, on the whole, good marksmen, although not so good as the Cossack cavalry men, who use a similar, though shorter, rifle.

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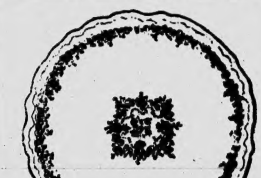
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MORE MACHINE GUNS WANTED FOR TROOPS

Local Movement to Improve Equipment of Victoria Battalions Receiving General Support.

In common with practically every British Columbia city, the movement, the object of which is to secure as many machine guns as possible in addition to the official allotment for the Canadian troops, is receiving an enthusiastic reception in Victoria. The British Campaigners Association has taken the matter up as a body and, although its committee is not yet systematically at work, already the quick-firer has been obtained. There is every indication that the canvassing will be undertaken by other organizations, and that all citizens will be given an opportunity to give a practical demonstration of their patriotism in this way. The Colonist will accept subscriptions and forward them to the Department of Militia and Defence on condition that they be invested in guns for battalions composed either wholly or partially of Victoria troops.

The ready response to the appeal on behalf of the 88th Fusiliers, which corps is anxious to proceed to the front as a unit, indicates the spirit in which Victorians are prepared to apply a vital need. Although the committee was active for only thirty-six hours all that was necessary was achieved. Sixteen guns have been guaranteed to the regiment on the understanding it is given permission to go to the front as a unit.

Movement General

The movement now is being taken up generally, along the same lines as are being followed in Vancouver, Nanaimo, Nelson, Kamloops and other Provincial centres. Up to the present there has been no representative civic committee appointed by different bodies interested, such as the British Campaigners Association, but it is believed that some action of that nature will be taken in a few days in order that the efforts of those interested may be properly systematized.

In addition to subscriptions already announced through these columns the following have been received:

Mr. C. R. Bishop, $250; Mrs. C. R. Bishop, $250; Mr. W. T. Worthington, $250, and Mr. J. A. Worthington, $250

Officers Gratified

Commenting on the sentiment among officers of the Vernon camp, The News of that city says:

"Considerable gratification has been expressed by prominent officers over the splendid reception accorded the efforts of the men who initiated the machine gun movement. It is considered that British Columbia will give to her own battalions at least 100 machine guns, and these together with those supplied by the Government are expected to be enough to equip every infantry battalion now mobilized or being recruited up to strength with an ample supply."

An interested Victorian writes:

"Did you ever realize what machine guns mean to the boys somewhere in France? I can give you a little idea. One machine gun is equal in fire to fifty rifles. In other words it takes the place of fifty men. The Germans are using five times as many as our boys have. Why can't we, as citizens of Victoria, 'do our bit' and equip our boys so that they are on an equal footing with the enemy? Why not some of our well-to-do people organize ourselves for the purpose of supplying machine guns? If it were not for our boys who are at the front doing their 'bit' you and your children would be under German rule and despotism. Sixteen machine guns to a new battalion will double its fighting strength. We are liberal with the lives of our boys; let us be liberal with our money to aid them."

SINGLE SALVO FINDS AND DESTROYS ENEMY

Gunnery Lieut. Bennett, of H. M. S. Dublin, Describes Some Incidents in British Operations in Dardanelles.

A sidelight on British operations in the Dardanelles is furnished by Gunnery Lieut. Bennett, of H.M.S. Dublin, in a letter to Mr. C. P. Bennett, of Maywood, Cloverdale. He says:

H.M.S. Dublin, March 12.

Secrecy about our actual position is no longer necessary, because the papers have published that we are before the Dardanelles. As a matter of fact we are very nearly up them. I can't tell you any details about actual progress, because I don't know how much the Admiralty is publishing and how much is officially secret, but I will tell you some interesting little starts which have happened to us personally, all of which incidentally will show you how well our guns shoot. Remember the people in the forts and ships against us are all Germans. Not a Turk is to be seen, and of Germans we have slaughtered thousands.

Not long ago we were one of the ships covering the landing of demolition parties whose object was to put finishing touches with gun cotton on the forts which already had been silenced by the heavier ship gun fire. Well, they landed safely and they had blown up one fort and made their way past a burning village full of Germans — I think some must have roasted—and with very few losses were just on the point of blowing up another fort when about 100 Germans with rifles, machine guns and twelve-pounder field guns, concealed in a windmill on a cliff about 800 yards from them, opened a most murderous fire.

Located the Enemy

Luckily for them the Dublin was within a few miles' range, and an aeroplane of ours flew showing us where they were. She happened luckily to be quite close to the windmills at the time and wirelessed to us. In fifteen seconds we got off our five starboard guns together. A breathless ten seconds while the shot travelled, and then up went three windmills, absolutely disappearing. A cheer went up as if the "Tottenham Hotspurs" had kicked a goal in a cup tie. Another [illegible] and [illegible] windmills were gone. We then picked off the remaining ones with single gun firing. All this was with six-inch lyddite shells. The Admiral signalled, "Dublin, well executed," so we were all quite bucked about it.

These windmills were on the part called Kum Kale and seeing us treating them so badly, the fort on Cape Helles which had been firing at the larger ships opened on us. Eleven shots fell over and short, but luckily none hit. We gave them two five-gun salvos, and the second hit them nicely and kept them quiet for the next half hour, and then they started again on some one else, and the Admiral told us to keep out of range, as we have no armor plates to speak of. Those guns have long since been completely destroyed. It was a splendid sight to see three villages full of soldiers and five forts all in flames together. They burned for forty-eight hours in pouring rain, some flames about 100 feet high.

Since then we have been more or less continually engaged without the loss so far of one single man. On March 7 we were up against Bulair at anchor on the north side of Gallipoli Peninsula, when suddenly at 5 p.m., when hundreds of men were having their Sunday afternoon sleep on deck, we were opened fire on by a battery of "six-four" howitzers concealed in the mills. We had to get up anchor quickly and run off. Very annoying, as we could not see at all where the shots were coming from. We were hit four or five times by shells, all of which burst, but, by some miracle, no one was even wounded. One shell only made seventy holes in different iron and wooden fixtures, and many men had their clothes nearly removed, but only two were actually hit, both officers, and they were only bruised.

We were furious at the idea of not being able to shoot them back, so we went and wreaked our vengeance on a fort close by, where we saw one man at least fly high in the air. We went afterwards and completely demolished and burned an enormous new red brick barracks about five miles down the coast. We hit this with our first salvo and three guns, lyddite at 11,000 yards, and as the bullets got there before the sound we hope we caught plenty of them inside. So you see we have been having a jolly good time. It all sounds so easy, but don't expect to hear of us being in Constantinople before long, as it is an almost impossible job.

HOW GERMANS GOT IT IN YPRES BATTLE

Hon. Thomas Taylor, Minister of Public Works, Gets Interesting Letter From a Soldier at the Front.

The Hon. Thomas Taylor, Minister of Public Works, has received from a member of the B. C. Horse, now at the front, an interesting letter telling of the heroism of the Canadians in the historic battle near Ypres. It is dated from Northern France, June 22, and in part is as follows:

"At Armentierre we had our baptism of fire. The trenches were only about thirty yards apart, and it was not safe for our side to use artillery for fear of damaging their own men. The Saxons were in the opposite trenches and they would shout across to us not to shoot, they promising not to. The Essex Regiment, who are old-timers and who were there to show us what trench warfare was like, told us that when the Saxons were in that mood were were sure of a quiet time, but we should keep our eyes open when we ran up against the Prussian Guards. As luck would have it, every time we did, they got the worst of it.

"From Armentierres we advanced to another point nearby, and a fine time we had of it there, for the trenches were about 300 yards apart, and we could see everything that was going on; and at night we had listening patrols out to warn us of any surprise attack. After a ten days' rest, we were sent to Ypres, where I think we showed the Germans that one Canadian was better than ten of them. The Germans used the gas on the Algerians, who retired. The poor fellows could not do anything else, for it was either retire or suffocate.

When they retired, it left the Canadians' left flank up in the air, for there was nobody left in the trenches for half a mile; and the Germans were afraid to do anything until daylight—then they broke through by the thousands. But by a master stroke they were met by the Canadians and British, who showed them what they could expect for their cowardly acts. We surrounded a whole squad in the woods. For three days it was certainly hell, and although we retired at one point about half a mile, to a position already prepared, they got at least fifteen to one.

"You have no idea what machine guns can do when they are turned loose against a body of men advancing in solid formation, the way the Germans do. You'd think there was a mowing machine going up and down in front, the way they drop."

CENSORED CANADIAN NEWS

Sir Arthur Markham Has Questions to Ask—Excision of Statements Concerning Shell Production

LONDON, July 17.—Sir Arthur Markham has tabled two questions in the House of Commons dealing with the censorship of Canadian news. Sir Arthur asks why permission was refused to cable an interview obtained with W. M. Butler, of the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, in which Mr. Butler stated that his company were able to turn out large quantities of shells; that Canada could multiply her output four or five times; that the War Office had declined to place orders, and that Canadian manufacturers resented skilled laborers being brought from Canada to this country when factories were only partially employed.

He also asks why the press bureau excised portions of an interview with a Canadian officer in which the statement was made that more shells were required, and that it was disheartening when our reply was only one shell to twenty shells of the enemy, whether the censor passed the latter part of the same sentence stating that the men were as happy as could be when they had good backing of artillery, and why these last words were passed by the censor, which resulted in false news being circulated in Canada owing to the first part of the sentence having been struck out.

Dr. Ford Verrinder, dentist, has resumed practice. 510 Campbell Building. Phone 3577.

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CASUALTIES MORE THAN TEN THOUSAND

Official Figures of Canadian Losses Stand at 10,256—Statistics Show How Various Units Suffered.

Last week the Canadian casualties passed the ten thousand mark, the total to date being 10,256. Of this number, 1,767 have been killed, 6,594 have been wounded and 1,895 have been posted as missing.

During the past week's fighting, commencing on Sunday, July 11, and ending yesterday, the Canadian forces lost a total of 400 men in killed, wounded or missing, according to the official daily announcements from Ottawa.

Included in last week's list of casualties are the names of three officers killed, one officer wounded, sixty-eight non-commissioned officers and men killed, and 328 non-commissioned officers and men wounded.

Few local soldiers were reported injured during the past week. Four were killed and eight were wounded or taken prisoner by the enemy.

Men who enlisted from here went with either the 7th, 16th or 30 Battalions, the Princess Patricias or Field Artillery. Those who went to the front with the 30th were subsequently absorbed into the older battalions, principally the 7th and 16th.

The Victorians who enlisted with the 50th Gordon Highlanders went with the 16th Battalion and the 30th Battalion, while a few went with the quota from the Princess Patricia reinforcements. One officer has been killed and three have been reported wounded or missing, while twenty-eight non-commissioned officers and men have been killed in action and 121 have been wounded or missing from this regiment.

The 88th Fusiliers supplied men to the 7th Battalion, the 30th Battalion and the Princess Patricias. Of those who fought with these units from the 88th, five officers have been killed and nine have been wounded or missing, while among the non-commissioned officers and men twenty-one have been killed and 190 have been wounded or reported missing.

Those who enlisted for active service with the 5th Regiment, C.G.A., were allotted to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Artillery Brigades principally. No officers have been killed, wounded or taken prisoner, and only one man has been killed and three wounded, there being no addition to the losses sustained by this unit since the opening stages of their participation in the war.

The 30th Battalion has suffered the loss of four officers wounded, twenty-three non-commissioned officers and men killed and one hundred and thirteen wounded or missing.

The following list of casualties, while it does not correspond exactly with the official figures, will give a good idea of the respective losses suffered by each unit of Canada's army which has been in action.

	Officers.		N.C.O.'s and Men.	
	Killed.	Missing & Wounded.	Killed.	Missing & Wounded.
1st Battalion	16	21	159	699
2nd Battalion	7	20	110	613
3rd Battalion	8	17	88	845
4th Battalion	6	26	106	572
5th Battalion	10	25	108	612
6th Battalion	—	—	—	4
7th Battalion	9	28	114	857
8th Battalion	6	33	154	708
9th Battalion	—	—	4	2
10th Battalion	16	31	155	747
11th Battalion	—	—	—	22
12th Battalion	2	—	1	2
13th Battalion	4	21	136	721
14th Battalion	4	11	96	383
15th Battalion	1	42	104	710
16th Battalion	8	20	165	543
18th Battalion	—	—	1	4
19th Battalion	—	—	—	1
21st Battalion	—	—	—	2
22nd Battalion	—	—	—	2
23rd Battalion	—	—	—	1
24th Battalion	—	—	1	1
25th Battalion	—	—	—	1
26th Battalion	—	1	—	—
27th Battalion	—	—	—	1
30th Battalion	—	—	23	118
31st Battalion	—	—	—	1
Princess Patricias	10	24	231	611
Strathcona's Horse	1	8	15	83
Engineers	1	3	19	92
Artillery	4	24	69	275
Army Serv. Corps.	—	—	3	6
Ambulance	—	5	11	48
R. C. Dragoons	—	3	10	29
2nd C.M.R.	—	—	—	2
Div. Signal Co.	—	—	—	2
Div. Cavalry Co.	—	1	—	—
Div. Cyclist Co.	—	—	—	1
Can. Heavy Bat.	—	—	—	1
Miscellaneous	1	11	10	28

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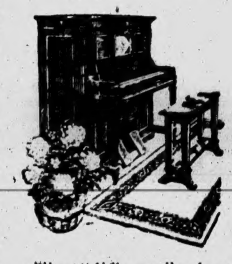
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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Want Reading Matter—The Royal Canadian Naval Volunteers, who are stationed at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, would be very glad to receive some magazines and illustrated papers.

Improvement By-Laws—Another batch of local improvement assessment by-laws will come before the City Council tomorrow evening. These by-laws cover works which have recently been completed and will permit the owners benefited by the works to be assessed for them.

Red Cross Demonstration—It is understood that the Victoria Branch of the Red Cross Society is planning to make a special demonstration in connection with their work, on August 4, the anniversary of the declaration of war between England and Germany. Full particulars will be announced later.

Post Office Clerks—A number of delegates to the Post Office Clerks' Convention, which was held in Vancouver last week, were in Victoria on Friday and Saturday as the guests of the local clerks, who gave them an enjoyable reception and allowed them an opportunity of seeing the sights of the city.

Will Resume Duties—City Solicitor Robertson, who has been ill for the past two months or more, will probably be back at his desk tomorrow, though it is not expected that he will be sufficiently strong to permit of his attending for more than an hour or two each day for some time to come. During his absence the work of the department has been attended to by Public Prosecutor Harrison.

Arranging Consecration—The authorities of the Diocese of Columbia are now in correspondence with Bishop Du Vernet as to his wish and pleasure in the matter of arranging a date for the consecration of the bishop-elect to the diocese. The canons of the diocese leave the matter in the hands of the ecclesiastical province, which is composed of the heads of the three other dioceses. Usually the consecration takes place within six weeks after the election of a bishop, and usually in the cathedral of the diocese in which the bishop is elected.

Newspaper Party Coming.—Twenty-three newspaper men and women are due to arrive here for a short stay en route to Banff. They are on their way home from the national editorial meeting at Los Angeles and the Panama-Pacific Exposition and are the guests of Mr. E. E. Taylor, of Traer, Iowa, editor of The Star-Clipper of that city. Mr. Taylor primarily arranged the trip for men who had been foreman in his office. Four in the party once held that position, and three of them are now running successful newspapers of their own in the Middle West.

Judge Assumes Post—County Court Judge H. E. A. Robertson, formerly of Victoria, who was recently appointed with jurisdiction for the northern part of the Cariboo district, with Mrs. Robertson and their children, has left Vancouver, where he has been residing for some time, for Prince George, which he will make his headquarters. Judge Robertson, who recently returned from the North, expresses himself as highly pleased with the district around Prince George. Business conditions are quiet there at the present time, but the farming industry is making steady progress. Judge Calder, at Ashcroft, has jurisdiction over the southern portion of the Cariboo district.

Arriving Today—Mr. George Bury, vice-president of the C.P.R., Mr. Grant Hall, general manager, and Mr. F. W. Peters, superintendent of western lines, and possibly other prominent officials of the Pacific division, are due to reach the city this morning and spend the day here. They will be guests at the Empress Hotel. Mr. Bury is at the Coast in the course of an extended tour of the Northwest, which he usually takes at this season of the year. The party intends to remain only today in the city. Mr. Bury was interviewed at Winnipeg the other day and expressed himself in the most optimistic terms in respect to the outlook for Western Canada, particularly in respect to the prospects for an abundant harvest.

Postal Clerks—The following are the officers of the Postal Clerks' Association of the Dominion of Canada, elected at the convention which has just closed in Vancouver: President, A. S. Black, Vancouver; vice-president, C. Gardner, Regina; secretary, J. W. Green, Winnipeg; treasurer, E. Simms, Calgary; vice-president of British Columbia, J. Sinclair, Victoria; vice-president of Alberta, E. H. Mitchell, Edmonton; vice-president of Saskatchewan, W. D. Weedon, Moose Jaw; vice-president of Manitoba, S. C. Berridge, Brandon; editor, A. M. Venables, Calgary. A resolution was passed changing the name of the organization from that limiting membership to Western Canada to the whole of the Dominion. The eastern organizations have signified their willingness to enter the larger body.

Patriotic Fund—The following are among the recent subscriptions received by the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society: Staff of Bank of Nova Scotia, $10; office staff, Canadian Collieries, $20; employees, E. G. Prior & Co., Limited, $16; crew of steamer Restless, $10; steamboat inspector's office, $15; employees, Pacific Club, $20; employees, Sayward Block, $27.95; officers and crew of C. G. S. Galiano, $31.70; employees, Dixi H. Ross & Co., $36.50; Inland Revenue employees, $28.50; employees, W. & J. Wilson, $43; crew of tug Sadie, $10; crew of tug Swell, $10; employees, Chief Engineer's Department, Navy Yard, $100; employees, B. C. Electric Railway Company, $402.55; employees, Victoria Gas Company, $6.46; employees, V. I. Power Company, $17.71; employees, Turner, Beeton & Company, $47; employees, Victoria-Phoenix Brewing Company, Limited, $36.75.

Make Payment for Sand—Payment has just been made by the City to the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company of $6,765 for sand and gravel which the company, during its paving operations, deposited on various streets, but which was not used up to the time the company ceased work. It was one of the stipulations between the company and the City at the time the company, then in liquidation, wound up its operations here, that this material should be taken over by the City. The price then paid proved higher than that subsequently paid to the Producers' Rock & Gravel Company, which has been supplying the City with materials under the arrangement whereby material to be used on relief works was given at a lower figure than the regular contract price. There is, too, the additional cost of hauling the Rubber Company's material to points where it is required. This material will be used wherever possible, and the difference between the cost hauled by the City to the work and that of the Producers' Rock & Gravel Company will be charged against general revenue instead of against the owners benefited by the works undertaken.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey, of Crofton, left yesterday afternoon for England.

Mrs. Charlotte Betterton, of Seattle, is visiting Miss Griffith, Trutch Street.

Miss Matheson, of Vancouver, who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. Calvert, Oak Bay, will sing a solo in St. Columba Church this morning.

Mrs. Scouler, of New Westminster, is visiting her old friends, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. MacRae, at their home, 210 Dundas Street.

Mrs. Ellen Russell has returned to the city after a month's absence. She has been visiting her sons, Robert and Stanley, of McMinnville, Oregon, and North Yakima, Wash.

Mrs. T. R. Ross, Miss MacArthur and Masters Gordon and Douglas Ross, of Coleman, Alta., are visitors to Victoria. They are the guests of Dr. H. E. Ryan.

Mrs. S. J. Stapledon and Mrs. Stanley Peele have returned from a visit to friends in California. While away they attended the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

The engagement is announced of Freda Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Watt, of this city, to Cecil B. Pearson, of Vancouver, B. C. The marriage will take place shortly.

The Ivy Leaf Social Club held its weekly whist drive in the K. of P. Hall, a large company being present. The following were the prize winners: First lady, Mrs. Phillips; second, Mrs. Wheeler; consolation, Miss Howes; first gentleman, Mr. Merriman; the winner of the second prize gave it back for the sealed prize for next week; consolation, Miss Huggett, who played as gentleman. The next drive will be held on Thursday at 8.15 p.m.

CHURCHES SMASHED BUT CROSSES STAND

Pte. George Fulton Chapple, of Victoria, Describes Trench Warfare in North of France—Some Incidents

Some of the experiences of the Canadians at the front are related by Pte. George Fulton Chapple, who enlisted in Victoria, in a letter to his parents. He writes under date of June 25, and says:

"There is a big move on. I can feel it in the air and by the orders, etc., which pass through the orderly room. Tomorrow night we are going on a twenty-mile march, not away from the trenches, but along the lines to another point, which I must not mention now. The second contingent is about ready for action, and we will probably go in the firing line and put them in the reserve trenches to get them kind of broken in to shell fire.

"We were very lucky on our last trip in the trenches, and, although we were shelled heavily, there were few casualties. I was with a party of thirty one night on a ration fatigue when a 'Jack Johnson' struck the parapet of the communication trench we were in and buried six of the boys behind me, and we had quite a job in getting them out. One fellow we pretty nearly left, as he was completely covered and we thought they were all out. He was in bad shape when we did pull him out and has been sent to the hospital.

"The position we have just been in is a wonderful sight. We captured a slight rise on a hill with a good-sized village right on top of it, and now there is scarcely a wall standing except part of a church. Strange as it seems, this church was smashed to bits, but a great crucifix still stands untouched among the ruins. I have noticed the same thing in several places, the churches being levelled to the ground, but still the crosses with the Christ are untouched.

"There are miles upon miles of trenches running in every direction, and you can walk for hours without passing through the same trenches and still not cover much ground. The trenches run right through the village, under the railways, through houses and cellars, and some of them are very cleverly concealed. We captured three snipers one morning at daybreak. You can, no doubt, guess what happened to them. I was in hopes of having a go at the Germans this trip, but we never left the trenches. In some places our trenches were only fifty yards from the Germans, but they realized from former experience that at that particular spot it would have been madness to order a charge, as the Germans had dozens of machine guns. Not that every one of us would not have had a try at it, but the loss of life it would have cost wouldn't be worth any gain that might have been made. Have you ever noticed how very seldom the enemy charges if he knows the Canadians are facing him? There is a reason. They got all they wanted of the Canadians at Ypres and have been 'leary' of them ever since."

LADY TOURISTS HERE BOUND FOR ALASKA

Party of New Yorkers Enjoyed Short Stay in Victoria Under Wing of Local Passenger Agent

About thirty lady tourists from New York, headed by Miss M. E. Pearson, passed through Victoria yesterday on the G. T. P. steamship Prince George. During the two-hour stay here the party was conducted over the Parliament Buildings by Mr. C. F. Earle, local G. T. P. passenger agent. Miss Pearson and party are first proceeding to Alaska and will return East over the G. T. P. transcontinental from Prince Rupert. The Prince George sailed at 3:30 p.m. and embarked a number of passengers here for the North.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., July 17, 1915.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is steadily rising over this Province, and fine, warmer weather is becoming general. More rain has fallen in Cariboo and showers are reported in the Prairie Provinces.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	52	64
Vancouver	52	68
Kamloops	52	74
Barkerville	32	64
Prince Rupert	50	60
Atlin	50	72
Dawson, Y. T.	46	68
Calgary, Alta.	48	66
Winnipeg, Man.	48	60
Portland, Ore.	50	70
San Francisco, Cal.	60	76
Port Arthur	54	68
Penticton	52	74
Cranbrook	46	68
New Hazelton	47	72

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Building Will Be Fully Completed When Transfer Takes Place at End of August

Within a short time, the interior work on the new jail building on Fisgard street will be completed, and all that will remain to be done will be the installation of the fittings, including the patent lock device for the cells, etc. The contractors have until the end of August to complete their work, and the structure will then be ready for the transfer of the department's offices from the present inadequate accommodation.

The building will be a decided addition to the City's public structures, but its situation precludes its becoming an attractive feature, so far as the general public is concerned. Lack of funds will hamper the adequate furnishing of the new building this year, and it is the intention to make the old equipment of the present station do service until financial conditions improve. For the first time for several years, it will be possible to house every branch of the department under one roof. Lack of accommodation heretofore has necessitated the separation of the plain clothes from the uniformed force.

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DISTRICT BRANCH OF RED CROSS SOCIETY

Statement Giving an Account of the Work Up to July 17—Many Generous Donations Received.

The Victoria City and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society has issued a statement showing an account of the work for the period between July 1 and July 17. During the week, 23 cases were forwarded to the Canadian headquarters, Toronto, and the following donations are ackuowledged: Ganges Chapter, I. O. D. E., 1,682 dressings; 34 plate and 30 cup covers, 36 table napkins, 3 table covers, 35 face cloths, 140 red bandages, towels and sleeve bandages. Allies' Chapter, Sidney, 15 surgical shirts, 4 day shirts, 1 night shirt, clothing and old linen. Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter and Florence Nightingale Chapter, socks. Women's Missionary Society, First Presbyterian Church, pyjamas and socks. Clover Leaf Club, 10 pairs of slippers and pneumonia jackets. Esquimalt Reading Club, bandages. Mrs. George Jay, hospital gauze; Miss Arnold, old linen; Miss Macdonald, lavender; Miss McLimont, 60 bandages; Mrs. O. Richards, handkerchiefs; Miss Martin and nurses (Isolation Hospital), 600 surgical dressings; Mrs. H. A. S. Morley, Mrs. Crawford, and Mrs. Herman Robertson, hose tops and socks. A large shipment has just been received from Duncan, and will be itemized in the next report. Continued energy marks the record of Red Cross work in the city and Island during the past week. The people are realizing the necessity of constant, as well as instant, support to every call of the Empire. It is the little things, as well as the big ones, which tell, and the committee recognizes the loving spirit which inspires every gift—be it little or big. The proportion may be different, but the desire to help is there and is very evident in the applications and visits made daily to the headquarters in the Temple Building. The call for volunteers continues—partly because peoples numbers of busy women at work whenever they call. The opportunity comes now for others to come forward and relieve these of some of the daily responsibility they have assumed. It is necessary, however, to volunteer for definite days, or hours of service, and the assistant secretary will be very glad to receive such offers and will register them with the work committee. The committee is arranging for a jam shower in the near future and a sock day after the holidays. Every woman is asked to prepare at least one pair to contribute.

The receipts in cash from July 11 to 17 are as follows:

Langford (with Colwood) committee, per Mrs. Welsh (help from Mrs. Dunsmuir for motor ambulance)	$2,500.00
Sooke Woman's Patriotic Guild	10.00
Woman's Institute, Sooke	11.00
William Head Quarantine Station, per Dr. Brown	20.50
St. Mary's Guild, Metchosin per Mrs. Heald	10.00
Proceeds of fete, July 1, East Saanich, per Mrs. W. A. Mackenzie	149.60
Victoria Matinee Club gymkhana	519.65
Proceeds of concert at Comox, per Mrs. H. Muir	83.00
Mabel and Eveline Hardeman	1.41
Frank Stevens	5.00
Mrs. Settle	2.00
Mrs. Pender	1.00
Wm. Fisher (two months)	5.00
Helen	.50
Mrs. Chase	1.00
Anonymous	6.50
Miss Josephine Crease, assisted by Mrs. F. B. and the Misses Pemberton, sale of lavender	38.60
Box at the Empress Hotel	10.87
Collections—	
Miss Munro, Ward 5, city	7.75
Miss McAllister, Ward 1, city	74.00
Miss Bryce and Miss Rhodes, Ward 3, city	25.25
Miss Westwood and Miss Andrews, Ward 2, city	16.20
Total	$3,499.43
By life membership	125.00
Memberships	72.00
Associate memberships	6.00
Grand total	$3,702.43

MAY BE PRISONER

Parents Seek Information Concerning Pte. K. McLeod Cameron, Who Has Been Reported Missing

Having been informed that his son, Pte. Kenneth McLeod Cameron, who enlisted in Victoria with the 50th Gordon Highlanders, went away with the first contingent and was transferred in the Old Country to the 16th Battalion, has been missing since June 5, his father, Mr. Samuel Cameron, foreman of the rifle range and a resident of Saanich, is looking for further particulars. He has hopes that his boy was taken prisoner, and is anxious to ascertain if this is the case, in order to get in touch with him. According to private news received, Pte. Cameron went through the Battle of Langemarck in April, and subsequently participated in some sharp minor engagements.

On one occasion, his comrades state, he was seen on a field with a wounded soldier on his back, whom he was taking to cover. The incapacitated man had been shot in the foot. Cameron noticed his distress and rendered first aid, after which he proceeded to carry him to shelter. While so doing, a rifle bullet grazed his head. He last answered roll call on May 26, and since then, as far as can be learned, has not been seen.

SUCCESSFUL MARKET

Extensive Stock of Commodities Were Brought in Yesterday and Found Good Demand

An unusually large attendance was attracted yesterday to the city market, and an extensive supply of farm produce was brought in by stallholders to fill the demand.

Apples made their first appearance at the market yesterday, but were not in sufficiently large quantities to have much sale. A fine showing of cauliflowers, marrows, beets and onions was made. Cucumbers sold at 5 cents each, three for 10 cents, and two for 15 cents, according to size and quality. Lettuce, at three heads for 10 cents, was a slow seller, the reason being that so many consumers are growing their own supply this year. Celery found a ready sale at three stalks for 10 cents, while there was the usual demand for carrots, turnips, onions and beets, all of which sold at three bunches for 10 cents.

Potatoes were in evidence, but were of small size; the entire stock was sold out early in the morning. Butter beans sold at 10 cents a pound, and string beans were 5 cents more per pound.

Dairy produce and eggs were, as usual, specially favored, and practically the whole supply was depleted. Fresh eggs sold for 35 cents a dozen.

Meat was disposed of in large quantity. Beef brought 12 cents to 28 cents a pound; pork, 15 cents to 18 cents a pound; and mutton, 15 cents to 20 cents a pound.

A large stock of flowering shrubs gave the market a particularly attractive appearance, and trade in potted plants was brisk.

CLUB RECEIVES MEN OF OVERSEAS FORCES

Victoria League Has Established Headquarters in London for Entertainment of Soldiers

The Victoria League Club has recently been established in London, and will serve a highly valuable and commendable purpose, in furnishing the soldiers of the overseas forces a place to go when off duty where they may obtain refreshments and indulge in various forms of entertainment.

The institution is at Dorland House, 16 Regent Street, between Piccadilly and Pall Mall, and is open for the reception of overseas soldiers between the hours of 10 a.m. and 10 p.m. daily, Sundays included.

No entrance fee or subscription is required, and all are welcome. The place is supplied with a file of Canadian, Australian, New Zealand and South African newspapers and magazines and billard tables, telephones, and G. P. O. letter boxes, while writing tables and a bureau of information about London and the neighborhood is also available.

PREMIER SPEAKS OF CHURCH PROBLEMS

Expresses Confidence That Congregations Will Act With Courage in This Time of Crisis.

A glorious afternoon favored the ladies of St. Andrew's Church yesterday afternoon, and their garden party on the lawns of Sir Richard and Lady McBride was a gratifying success. The rose hedges that border the gardens were looking their best and fine stocks and other beautiful and fragrant flowers were blooming on all sides. Lady McBride and Mrs. Clay were the hostesses of the day.

In opening the afternoon's proceedings, the Rev. Dr. Clay thanked Sir Richard and Lady McBride for their kindness in giving the ladies the use of their grounds, and said that Sir Richard had added to the obligation by consenting to speak to those assembled.

Sir Richard McBride assured Mr. Clay and the ladies and gentlemen present that he and his wife felt honored that their home had been considered a fitting place to hold such a gathering. He hoped for the ladies who had taken so much trouble a large and generous crowd. His friend, Mr. McKilligan, had given him to understand that the heavy taxes on the church property was the reason for the effort made today. Mr. Clay had been one of the ablest advocates of the policy of freeing church properties from the burden of taxation, but his interviews with the Government had ended in disappointment, as he and his colleagues did not feel that they were justified in making the change.

Alluding to changed conditions, Sir Richard stated his belief that the church people would act with courage and cheerfulness, and that generous contributions would help them to bear their burdens.

Passing on to speak of his visit to Great Britain, Sir Richard paid a tribute to the Canadian soldiers. Not only from their officers had he heard of their bravery, but from Lord Kitchener and from His Majesty the King himself. The generous praise he heard on every hand was unexpected, greatly as it was deserved. Not only the men but hundreds of Canadian women were spending their strength in the cause of the Empire, in their zeal forgetting how many hours there were in the day.

There was a noticeable difference among the people of the Mother Land since the Premier's former visit. Then they were busy working for the war, but took an interest in other things. Now war was their only business, and every effort was bent to bring it to a successful conclusion. It was gratifying to see that the country came first and party next. Turning to Provincial affairs, Sir Richard expressed his conviction that, with its great resources, British Columbia must come through this time of stress to prosperity.

Empire on Trial

The Empire was on trial, but the result would be the binding of the Dominions closer together. With renewed wishes for the success of the afternoon Sir Richard closed his friendly and patriotic address.

During the afternoon Mr. Jesse Longfield's orchestra rendered a number of very fine selections, and Mrs. Longfield and Mrs. Morrison kindly gave vocal solos. The dancing in costume of Miss Kathleen Roberts, who performed a Spanish dance, and of Miss Jessie Paul's Highland fling was greatly admired.

Tea and refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. Mullagh, Mrs. Stuart acting as treasurer and Mrs. Jenner pouring tea.

A very pretty candy booth was presided over by Miss Leitch, while Miss Mary McBride, Miss Dolly McBride and Miss Gemmell assisted. Clock golf afforded amusement to a number of young folks at the invitation of Miss Peggy McBride.

In a delightful corner was a most tempting table laden with pansies, violas and the sweet smelling lavender blossoms. Mrs. Matheson and Mrs. Phillips, assisted by Miss Anna McBride and Miss Edna Matheson, distributed the flowers to all comers.

A most attractive table of fancy work was in charge of Mrs. P. F. Johnston and Mrs. E. S. Smith, assisted by Miss Hoole and Mrs. Hoy.

Mrs. C. A. Armstrong and Mrs. Hoy invited the visitors to partake of tea and cooling drinks. A lively trade in sweet peas was carried on by Misses Laura Archibald, Marjorie Campbell and Madge McConnel, and Mrs. David Miller persuaded her merry guests to paint impossible butterflies.

MILITARY CAREER OF MAJOR SANKEY

Former Sergeant in Royal Engineers Writes Appreciatively of New D. S. O.—Presentation to Mr. R. Watt.

Mr. W. J. Edwards, late sergeant 38th Field Service Company, Royal Engineers, gives some interesting information regarding the military career of Major Sankey, who has been awarded the D. S. O. He says:

"Your statement re Major Sankey, of the Royal Engineers, who has won the D. S. O., having been stationed at Esquimalt, B. C., is not quite true. I have known him since he joined the corps. He came to the 38th (Field) Company in 1898, whilst we were stationed at Shorncliffe, a second lieutenant from the 'shop.' He served with this company in the Boer war until invalided home, and was then posted, I think, to the 59th Company, and whilst carrying out pontoon work at Wouldham made the acquaintance of Lieut. the Hon. L. Hood, with the result that Major Sankey came direct to Victoria, B. C., was married at Christ Church Cathedral and returned to England.

"He fully deserves all that is his. No pluckier gentleman ever wore His Majesty's uniform. At Shorncliffe during inspection by H.R.H. the present Governor-General, his horse reared straight over on top of him. He was quickly up again at the salute with his sword bent like a scythe. On another occasion he stopped a runaway team of horses in a Tylor's tool cart, for which he paid dearly with a broken limb. In South Africa he was the constant forager of the company, and often brought home a sack of flour, and was always in the front when volunteers were wanted for any particular work.

"During the present campaign I have been trying to keep in touch with him, but failed. I know he was wounded on two occasions. I am proud of him as an officer and a gentleman. It was a pleasure to serve with him. May he live long!"

Farewell Presentation

Mr. Robert H. Watt, of the Surveyor-General's Department, and youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Watt, 24 Government Street, leaves on this afternoon's boat en route to Liverpool, England, having successfully passed the test of the British Armament Commission. Yesterday morning his colleagues in the department presented him with a military silver wrist watch as a token of their esteem on his leaving the service, and wishing him good luck in his new work.

It is interesting to note that this is Mr. and Mrs. Watt's fourth son to be either actively engaged in the war or working in connection with it. Pte. Archibald A. Watt, of the 50th Gordon Highlanders (also of the Surveyor-General's Department), has been all through the fighting with the 16th Battalion in France. He was severely wounded in the famous charge in the orchard at Festubert, and is now lying in the General Hospital at Wanstead, London. Their second son, Ovington, is a dispatch-rider with the 17th Battalion, now in training at the military camp, Vernon, while their eldest son is with the Interned Germans and Austrians on Monashee Mountain.

Lieut. Vander Bell, of Prince Rupert, is acting as recruiting officer for the district. He is engaged at present on men for the 62nd Battalion, and is reported to be meeting with success.

An official test of a new type of machine gun which has been invented by Mr. Charles F. Hughes, of Vancouver, is to be made in the near future, according to the News-Advertiser. It was formally offered to the Militia Department about two weeks ago, for which thanks have been received together with the intimation that the machine gun and ordnance expert of the department, who is in Vernon, would visit the Terminal City to inspect the new weapon.

With regard to military activities at the Vernon concentration camp, The News says:

"Major E. A. Seales Smith is the instructor who delivers lectures to the officers. Lieut. H. B. King is the camp musketry instructor. Sergt.-Major Coffin of the Canadian instructional cadres, is holding large classes of non-commissioned officers. Battalion officers are constantly engaged with drills, route marches and manoeuvres. Capt. B. A. Rhodes of the 47th Battalion has only recently gone to Ottawa, there to attend the Rockcliffe School of Musketry. Other officers have left the camp for similar courses, and still others will perfect themselves in the arts of war at some one of the seats of military learning established in Canada."

BUREAU METHODS ARE TOPIC OF CONFERENCE

Council Committee Met Superintendent and Discussed Points on Which Latter Based His Resignation.

The result of the investigations of the committee into the allegations made by Mr. Winkle, superintendent of the Free Municipal Labor Bureau in his recent letter of resignation, may come before the City Council at its meeting tomorrow evening. The committee, composed of Aldermen Porter, Todd and Fullerton, has gone into Mr. Winkle's complaints and as a result of the inquiry Mr. Winkle will remain head of the bureau, at least for the time being. The conference which the committee had with the superintendent disclosed the fact that the assertions recently made before the City Council by representatives of the labor element, which alleged that Mr. Winkle had been hampered in his work and had criticized the methods pursued by the committee were not based upon statements made by Mr. Winkle. It was pointed out to Mr. Winkle by the members of the committee that he, whatever he might think of the system on which the bureau was being run, was not responsible for the system and had been placed in charge of the bureau as manager for the City, and any responsibility belonged to the committee. The committee expressed its entire confidence in Mr. Winkle's management and he agreed to the suggestion that he reconsider his resignation, for the time being at least.

The necessity of further scrutiny in outlays for civic expenditures for the year has been impressed upon the finance committee of late, and methods in which further reductions can be made have been under discussion by members of the council. A private and informal session of the board was held on Friday afternoon to consider the subject. In a short time the Supplementary Expenditure By-law, to provide for outlays which were not foreseen when the year's expenditures were considered in February last, will be before the board. These additional expenditures approximate $40,000, but it is hoped that curtailment may be made in estimates already made to the extent of approximately $160,000. On the other hand much thought is being given to the question of what funds will be available for the year's operations. The recent experience in connection with the payments for local improvement taxes is indication to the Council that the percentage of the annual general tax receipts due this Autumn will fall considerably short of the usual yearly total. There can be no doubt but that the income for general revenue purposes will not come up to expectations formed earlier in the year, and it may be that the Council will be confronted this year with the same situation which developed towards the end of last year, when a further pruning of outlays had to be made to make ends meet without carrying over into the new year with a deficit.

Further correspondence in respect to the negotiations between the city and the municipality of Saanich for the sale to the latter municipality of portions of the existing water works distribution system within the municipality will be before the Council in the shape of a communication from Saanich. The latter is not altogether satisfied with the city's refusal to part with the ownership of the 42-inch main to Elk Lake.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

Reserve Squadron Mounted Rifles

Regimental orders No. 1. Lieut. O. B. Eller, commanding.

Reserve Squadron Mounted Rifles will parade at Legion of Frontiersmen Hall, Langley Street, Tuesday at 8 p. m. for lecture.

By order,
J. B. HOWES,
Acting Lieutenant and Adjutant.

National Reserve of Canada

Lieut.-Col. Gregory, commanding.

Company and recruits' drill at the Drill Hall, on Wednesday, at 8 p. m. Every member is requested to attend.

By order,
J. YATES,
Acting Adjutant.

Legion of Frontiersmen

Lecture—A lecture will be given by Lieut. Eller at headquarters on Tuesday, July 20, at 8 p.m. sharp.

Meeting—A meeting will be held at headquarters on Wednesday, July 21, at 8 p.m.

Parade—A foot parade will be held at the Drill Hall on Friday, July 23, at 8 p.m. sharp, in connection with the Victoria Volunteer Mounted Rifles. All Frontiersmen are requested to attend this parade.

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By order,
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Exports of motor cars from the United States to all countries increased from 3,291, valued at $2,833,154, in April, 1914, to 5,345, valued at $8,046,222, in April, 1915. This growth was almost exclusively in commercial motor cars, of which the exports rose from fifty-two, valued at $72,676, in April, 1914, to 2267, valued at $5,240,481, in April, 1915.

In Women's Realm

BY MARIA LAWSON



PRINCESS ARTHUR OF CONNAUGHT

The Dead

These hearts were woven of human joys and cares,
Washed marvellously with sorrow, swift to mirth.
The years had given them kindness. Dawn was theirs,
And sunset, and the colors of the earth.

These had seen movement, and heard music, known
Slumber and waking; loved, gone proudly friended;
Felt the quick stir of wonder; sat alone;
Touched flowers and fire, and cheeks. All this is ended.

There are words blown by changing winds to laughter,
And lit by the rich skies, all day. And after,
Frost, with a gesture, stays the waves that dance
And wandering loveliness. He leaves a white
Unbroken glory, a gathered radiance,
A width, a shining peace, under the night.

A Royal Nurse

The news that Princess Arthur of Connaught has entered St. Mary's Hospital to train as a Red Cross nurse indicates how very seriously the war is regarded by women who are in touch with the men who are at the heart of affairs. The women of the royal family have been devoted mothers. The example of Queen Victoria has been followed by her daughters and granddaughters. The Princess Royal was, after her marriage, heard of but seldom in any public capacity. Queen Maud of Norway and the Princess Margaret of Sweden are devoted to their children. It cannot be a light matter that would induce Princess Arthur to leave her baby to the care of others, however efficient. Her Scottish training would intensify her love of home and of race.

On the other hand, this daughter of the glens and hills cannot but feel that she is fitted for a life of usefulness. Her girlhood was spent in outdoor exercise and sport. Shy as she is said to be she had a love of adventure. The knowledge that the men of the north have hastened to join the colors must have gratified and stimulated the daughter of the Duke of Fife, and one cannot wonder that she is anxious in the expressive phrase the English-speaking world has borrowed from her people "to do her bit." She has great wealth, but its expenditure does not, to an earnest nature, take the place of personal service.

In this country far more professional nurses have volunteered than it is possible to accept. In Great Britain great numbers of Red Cross nurses have been at work since the opening of the war. In some cases volunteers were accepted who had not received a thorough training. The indications are that this is to be changed. We saw the other day that the daughter of Hon. Lloyd George had entered upon a course of training for hospital work, and the daughter of that distinguished officer, Lord Methuen, was among those who fitted herself for the task of nursing before she entered her father's hospital. It may be that Princess Arthur is anxious to show other women in the Empire that no matter what attractions or what accomplishments a girl may possess or what station she fills she ought not to ask leave to nurse wounded soldiers without a nurse's training.

Princess Arthur of Connaught is a very rich woman and has, doubtless, made it possible for many professional nurses to take their places in the war hospitals. That she has felt herself called upon to prepare for personal service may well cause us all to consider what are our responsibilities with regard to those who are risking their lives for their country, for humanity and for freedom.

A Cowardly Crime

The man who deserts his family is too often free to go where he likes and to spend his earnings as he pleases. The following sentences from the New York Outlook shows this far too common offence in its true colors:

"All too frequently a recreant father forsakes his own children and leaves them to perish or to be cared for by the public. There are few graver offences conceivable than that of the man who launches a brood of helpless children upon the world and then leaves them to burden society and possibly to imperil the well-being of society itself. The shipmaster who slights a sinking craft and sails on, leaving it to go down, is rightly execrated by all mankind. But the family deserter, for the most part, goes on his way unpunished."

The Healing Science

Very soon the British Columbia Hospital will leave for the front. All the members—doctors, nurses, ambulance men, orderlies and attendants—are ready to run any risk, to endure any hardship, to spend strength and thought if only they can save life.

The modern hospital is one of the wonders of our age. Yet too few remember that while every other science is engaged in destruction, medical science alone is working only for the good of mankind. Dr. Meltzer, a member of the Rockefeller institute, recently gave an address, in which he showed that while medical sciences and medical men were part and parcel of wars, their work was beneficent. He claims that:

"None of the numerous important discoveries made in the medical sciences was ever used for the destruction of life or harming the enemy in modern civilized warfare.

"Any discovery or invention made in the sciences or the practice of medicine, made in one of the warring countries, is freely given to the medical fraternity of a belligerent country—unless it involves a business relation over which medical men have no power. It is illuminating to read a review in an English medical journal of medical reports made at a German medical meeting held on a battlefield.

"On the battlefield, on the firing-line, perhaps in the midst of a hail of bullets and fragments of shrapnel, physicians and surgeons, some of them volunteers, pick up wounded soldiers without regard to nationality, and treat friend and foe alike. It is practically of no moment to the sick and wounded soldier to which of the hospitals of the civilized belligerent nations he will be taken for treatment. The physician, as a physician, knows no difference between races and nations, between friend and foe.

"And withal, physicians in every one of the warring countries are as good patriots, and are as ready to sacrifice their lives in their country's struggle, as any other patriotic citizen of his beloved country, with the only difference that he, the physician, is merely ready to die, or to be crippled for life, in the service for his country, but he is not engaged in killing or harming any one belonging to another nation or country."

There is, in these sentences and in all we read of the work being done by the hospitals and the Red Cross, proof that mercy still fills the hearts of good men and women in all the nations.

Voluntary Aid

The formation of a Voluntary Aid Detachment in Victoria shows that a number of ladies are not only willing but eager to render whatever service is possible to the Mother Country. The little pamphlet issued by the Militia Department as a guide to the officers of detachments shows that the primary purpose of Voluntary Aid Detachments, whether of men or women, is to assist in case an enemy has obtained entrance to this country.

It is not, however, necessary to contemplate such a contingency before organizing for war service. We know that it is possible to help the army in the field in other ways than caring for wounded men. So far there has been no need to do this in Canada. It is the duty of women as well as men here to see to it that those who have laid upon them the responsibility of giving aid to the men who have fallen on the battlefield are supplied with means and appliances to fulfil their mission of mercy. We have learned during the last few days that there are many people ready to do this. Ambulances and ambulance supplies have been given to the British Columbia Hospital. Machine guns are being subscribed for by people who have money to spare and the will to aid in the great struggle. In town and country women are working for the Red Cross and preparing comforts for the soldiers and sailors. It is necessary that such work shall be kept up and increased if possible. It may be that convalescent homes will be needed here in the near future, or other calls now unforeseen may arise. That women should band themselves together to prepare for any emergency, to drill regularly and to receive instructions, and what is, perhaps, more important, to stimulate each other and to awaken in others a spirit of loyalty and service, is very necessary. There is much preparatory work to do before one can become a member of such a detachment. Only those can be accepted who have received certificates in first aid and home nursing. To build on that foundation resourcefulness, adaptability and greatly increased knowledge, as well as to develop physical fitness in the widest sense of the term, must be the aim of each member of the organization. How many opportunities for patriotic service will open up before the women of Canada only the future can tell. Among the signs that the daughters, as well as the sons of our country will be ready when wanted is the formation of Voluntary Aid Detachments and St. John Ambulance Brigades in our own and other cities.

ORDER OF MOOSE

Large Attendance at Meeting—Several New Members Initiated—An Impressive Ceremony

The regular bi-weekly meeting of Victoria Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, was held on Tuesday, July 13, at the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street—Dictator Bro. A. C. Holmes, presiding.

There was a large attendance of members and much interest was shown in dealing with the business before the lodge; chief of which was the initiation of several new members into the order. The initiation work, as all Moose know, is of a dignified character. The oral parts of this impressive ceremony were rendered by Bros. Copeland and Cornic; the brothers present joining in.

The new members each briefly responded to the welcome extended to them, and several old-time members, whom the lodge has not seen for some considerable time, addressed the meeting. Refreshments were served later, concluding one of the most successful gatherings the lodge has had for a long time.

The fact that another large batch is to be initiated at an early date shows that optimism for the future and welfare of the lodge is justified.

Deputy Supreme Dictator Bro. F. Bates left Victoria on Tuesday as delegate attending the Moose Convention at San Diego.

A pleasant surprise visit was paid to the wife and family of Trustee Elliott, who is serving with the C. M. R. A large number attended and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

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COMING EVENTS

Lodge Will Meet—L. O. B. A. Purple Star Lodge 104, will hold its regular meeting in the Orange Hall, Yates Street, Wednesday, July 21, at 8 p.m.

Daughters of St. George—Victoria Lodge (No. 83), Order Daughters of St. George will meet for business tomorrow at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Fort Street, at 7:30 p. m.

At Temple Building—The Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter will be in charge of the Temple Building on Tuesday and members are requested to attend for the purpose of Red Cross work.

Women's Institute—The Lake Hill Women's Institute will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. Thomas, Carey Road, on Wednesday afternoon, July 21.

To Install Officers—Court Canada, Girls' Juvenile A. O. F., will meet on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. for installation of officers. After the meeting, Court Northern Light will serve ice cream.

Anti-Tuberculosis Meeting — The monthly meeting of the Victoria Anti-Tuberculosis Society will be held in the Alexandra committee room on Wednesday, July 21, at 11 a.m.

Hold Linen Shower—The Companions of the Forest and friends will hold a linen shower for the Canadian soldiers at the home of Mrs. Garwood, 2326 Lee Avenue, on Thursday evening, July 22. All members are requested to attend.

Templars' Meeting—A meeting of the Royal Templars of Temperance, Victoria Council No. 2, will be held on Tuesday at 8 o'clock in the small hall of the A. O. U. W. Building, Yates Street. All members are requested to be present.

Women's Canadian Club—A meeting of the executive of the Women's Canadian Club will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock to consider a personal letter from H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught. It is hoped there will be a full attendance.

Chapters in Charge—The following Chapters will be in charge at the Temple Building during the coming week: Monday, Esquimalt; Tuesday, Agnes Deans Cameron; Wednesday, Cameosun; Thursday, Navy League; Friday, Florence Nightingale; Saturday, Lady Douglas.

Lawn Fete—On Tuesday the St. Mark's W. A. will hold an at home on the lawns at Mrs. Geo. Rogers, Glenford Avenue, from 3 to 6 p. m. Music, games, tea and candy stall will provide for the entertainment of guests. All friends of the parish and members of the W. A. from other parishes are invited. Jitney buses will run from town or from Cloverdale Avenue.

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TIDES AT VICTORIA

July, 1915

Date.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.
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1	8:16	7.3	11:51	1.7	19:46	7.8	....	....
2	1:26	6.2	4:52	6.8	12:31	2.3	19:56	7.5
3	3:44	5.4	7:16	5.6	13:09	4.0	20:17	8.0
4	4:43	4.5	9:30	5.8	13:46	5.0	20:46	8.2
5	6:28	3.8	....	....	....	....	21:14	8.4
6	6:06	3.1	....	....	....	....	21:39	8.5
7	6:35	2.5	....	....	....	....	22:01	8.5
8	7:08	2.0	....	....	....	....	22:20	8.6
9	7:37	1.8	....	....	....	....	22:40	8.7
10	8:06	1.1	....	....	....	....	23:04	8.7
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12	9:08	0.6	....	....	....	....	....	....
13	0:13	8.6	9:49	0.7	20:14	7.7	21:24	7.7
14	0:37	8.4	10:29	1.0	20:12	7.4	22:21	7.3
15	1:44	7.9	10:59	1.5	19:09	7.3	23:26	6.8
16	2:38	7.4	11:40	2.2	19:16	7.4	....	....
17	0:37	6.4	4:00	5.7	12:20	3.1	19:28	7.6
18	1:40	6.3	6:37	6.0	12:48	4.0	19:46	7.9
19	2:41	4.3	8:26	5.6	12:53	5.0	20:05	8.2
20	2:41	3.5	....	....	....	....	20:26	8.7
21	4:40	2.4	....	....	....	....	20:53	9.1
22	5:36	1.4	....	....	....	....	21:31	9.4
23	6:29	0.6	....	....	....	....	22:21	9.5
24	7:18	0.1	....	....	....	....	23:16	9.5
25	8:03	0.1	15:02	7.9	19:23	7.8	....	....
26	0:14	9.3	8:45	0.0	15:10	7.6	20:28	7.4
27	1:14	8.8	9:25	0.4	17:54	7.4	21:28	6.8
28	2:13	8.3	10:04	1.1	18:38	7.4	22:25	6.3
29	3:15	7.6	10:44	2.1	17:50	7.5	23:20	6.2
30	4:22	6.9	11:21	3.1	16:17	7.6	....	....
31	0:34	9.1	5:52	6.7	11:56	4.1	18:42	7.9

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th meridian West. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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SCARCITY OF SHIPS FOR HANDLING CROP

Question of Available Tonnage for Exportation of Canadian Grain Is Presenting a Serious Problem.

Advices from the East state that one of the most serious problems which the Government at present has under consideration and which is one of the matters that Premier Borden will take up with the Admiralty and the Home authorities, is that of the shortage of tonnage.

The impending harvest in Canada and the necessity of moving the immense crop which is expected brings the problem more forcibly to the front and makes its solution a matter of pressing importance.

The general export business of the country has been hampered seriously for the past ten months, owing to the shortage of tonnage both on the Pacific and the Atlantic. In the movement of the new crop this Autumn the railway systems, the shipping concerns and, in fact, the Dominion, are vitally interested.

The total yield of wheat in Canada last year was 158,000,000 bushels, and this year, with an estimated increase in the acreage of 20 per cent, and with generally good prospects for an increased yield per acre, it is estimated that the wheat crop will not fall short of 250,000,000 bushels. It is probable that arrangements may be made to handle a portion of the Prairie grain through British Columbia.

Already some grain has gone from this Coast destined for New Zealand.

A tremendous amount of tonnage formerly available for ocean freightage is now engaged in carrying troops to the various theatres of war. Other ships are engaged in transporting ammunition, army stores, horses, hay and fodder, etc., so that comparatively few vessels are available for the ordinary export business of the Dominion.

In this respect not only Canada, but South Africa, Australia, New Zealand and all the British possessions, also suffer. In response to the urgent demand for ocean tonnage many of the steamers formerly engaged on the Great Lakes have been pressed into the Atlantic trade.

At best, the movement of the 1915 grain crop under present conditions of scarcity of tonnage must be slow. There is a capacity of 168,000,000 bushels in the elevators of the Dominion, which, to a great extent, will take care of the storage of the crop, but there is only a capacity of 29,250,000 bushels in the elevators in the Eastern inspection division, including Montreal, with a capacity of 7,100,000 bushels, so that unless export is freer than it is at present the crop will have to be moved very gradually from the West.

MANY LINERS ARE HEADING FOR PORT

Holt Liner Ixion Leads Big Inward Fleet, Which Includes the Monteagle and Niagara.

Cable advices from Yokohama state that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru sailed from the Japan port on schedule for Victoria. The Japanese liner is bringing in a full Oriental cargo, but her shipments for this port are much lighter than has been the case for some months past. The cargo to be discharged at Victoria amounts to only 291 tons.

In her passenger accommodation the Tamba Maru has 133 travelers. Fifteen are booked to disembark here and 118 are destined for Seattle, the latter number including 73 steerage passengers. The Tamba Maru is scheduled to reach Victoria on July 28.

A number of large ocean ships are due to make port between now and the end of the month. The first to arrive in port during the ensuing week will be the big liner Ixion, Captain Stout, of the Blue Funnel transpacific service. This liner is coming in with her holds filled to capacity with Oriental merchandise. She was some days late in leaving Yokohama owing to freight congestion at Oriental ports.

The Ixion is expected to reach here on Tuesday, July 20. She will be followed by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha steamship Canada Maru, which is coming on from China and Japan ports one day behind her schedule. The Canada Maru is due in port on Saturday, July 24. On Friday next the Osaka Shosen Kaisha steamship Chicago Maru is posted to depart from Victoria for Yokohama and Hong Kong. She has but a week in which to discharge and reload for the outward voyage.

Within the next few days the Maple Leaf Line steamship Kentra, Captain Melling, is expected here with a cargo of steel products and general merchandise from New York via the Panama Canal.

On Tuesday, July 27, the Canadian Pacific liner Monteagle, Captain F. G. Davison, is due to arrive from ports in the Orient. The Monteagle is on her third inward voyage from Hong Kong since being released from Government service. She is bringing in a good list of cabin passengers and a full cargo.

On Thursday, July 29, the Canadian Australasian liner Niagara, Captain J. T. Rolls, will be here from Australia and New Zealand. She left Sydney on July 8, Auckland July 13, Suva July 16, and is due at Honolulu July 23, list of passengers from the Antipodes.

Toward the end of the month the British freighter Crown of Seville, of the Harrison Direct Line, is scheduled to arrive here from Liverpool.

Plot to Kill Venizelos

PARIS, July 16.—A dispatch to the Havas News Agency from Athens says that a private letter received from Constantinople states that the Young Turks' committee is plotting the assassination of M. Venizelos, the former prime minister of Greece, whose party was returned with a majority at the recent general election. The police, the Athens advices state, have taken the necessary measures to protect M. Venizelos' life.

WIRELESS REPORT
(By Government Wireless)

6 p.m.

Point Grey—Cloudy; S.E.; 30.18; 66; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 30.10; 64; sea smooth.
Pachena—Clear; N.W.; 29.83; 66; sea smooth.
Estevan — Clear; N.W.; 30.00; 60; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Clear; N.W.; 30.03; 63; sea smooth.
Triangle—Clear; calm; 30.22; 58; sea smooth.
Deadtree Point—Cloudy; calm; 30.22; 60; sea smooth.
Ikeda Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.95; 60; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert — Clear; calm; 30.10; 61; sea smooth.

TAKES OUT MAMMOTH CARGO FOR ORIENT

Blue Funnel Liner Titan Clears Port Tomorrow for Yokohama With 15,000 Tons—Many Chinese Leaving.

With all freight and steerage passenger space taken up the Blue Funnel Line steamship Titan, Captain Read, will sail from Victoria tomorrow forenoon on her outward voyage to Yokohama and Hong Kong. It is announced by the agents here that the Titan will get away from Seattle late tonight and will dock at this port about daybreak on Monday.

While berthed at the Outer Docks the liner will take aboard 450 Chinese passengers and some 200 tons of cargo. This comprises the largest party of Chinese that has been booked from British Columbia since last Fall, when the exodus was at its height. As the Blue Funnel ships are the only vessels crossing the Pacific fitted with steerage passenger accommodation, apart from the Japanese ships, the British concern is getting practically all the Chinese business that is moving.

Evidently the Chinese boycott against the Japanese is as strong as ever. The arrival and departure of Japanese ships show this, as the occasion is rare when a Chinese name is found on the manifest of a Japanese liner. This applies in a large measure also to freight.

The Japanese vessels are handling very little Chinese cargo, but it is entirely different with the Blue Funnel ships. Much of the freight which will go out by the Titan is consigned to China.

The big freighter is taking out a cargo of over 15,000 measurement tons, and by the time she finishes loading freight here will be full to the hatch coamings.

In the shape of old horseshoes the Titan will carry a large consignment of luck on her forthcoming voyage. Her local cargo is made up principally of seaweed and horseshoes. Some doubt exists as to what the Chinese do with the discarded horseshoes, but the dried seaweed is used for the preparation of soup. Seaweed soup finds much favor in the Provinces of North China.

Early tomorrow morning the ocean docks will present an animated scene. Hundreds of Celestials awaiting embarkation will be encumbered by the usual mysterious bundles which, upon investigation, are found to contain articles and materials with which to concoct dishes peculiar to the Oriental race. Extra wearing apparel is usually conspicuous by its absence. The average Chinaman usually travels light, and the only clothes carried are those he stands in.

The immigration inspectors will have considerable work to accomplish before the liner sails, and it is not expected that the Titan will be in a position to clear much before the noon hour.

DIRECT RUSSIAN SERVICE

Fleet of Chartered Japanese Steamers to Operate Between Pacific Coast and Vladivostok

According to word brought by the liner Chicago Maru from the Orient, the Russian Government is planning to run a direct steamship service from Vladivostok to North Pacific ports by chartered Japanese steamers. The Russian Government has been importing large cargoes of heavy commodities from the United States and Canada since the war began and has been using Japanese steamers to a large extent. Waterhouse & Co., one of the big shipping firms of the Coast has now under charter a small fleet of Japanese steamers, operating between ports on this Coast to Vladivostok, including the Hudson Maru, now on the Sound, and the Kageshima Maru, which is now en route across the Pacific.

Portugal's exports increased appreciably last year.

CAPTAIN LOGAN'S NEW ASSOCIATE

Captain R. Ridley, formerly a deep-sea master on the Atlantic, has become associated with Captain W. H. Logan, representative of the London Salvage Association at this port. He replaces Captain Herbert Denyer, who has joined the Canadian naval service with the rank of lieutenant. Captain Ridley, who has been an intimate friend of Captain Logan for the past twenty years, comes to Victoria from the Okanagan country, where he has been cultivating a fruit farm for the past seven years.

Captain Ridley and Captain Logan were shipmasters together in the Mediterranean and Atlantic trades as masters of Leyland Line ships. In the Mediterranean trade the two shipmasters operated on the same route, Captain Logan being in command of the Flaminian, and Captain Ridley in command of the Flavian. From 1895 to 1903 the two masters were in the Atlantic passenger trade, Captain Logan being on the Iberian and Captain Ridley on the Devonian. It was in 1906 that Captain Ridley retired from the sea.

FRIEDA MAHN IS NOW FRENCH SHIP

Former German Trader to This Port Was Sold Under Prize Court Ruling and Renamed Bon Premier.

The former German bark Frieda Mahn, which, under that name, was a constant trader to North Pacific and British Columbia ports for many years, is now reported to be on passage from Cherbourg to Australia. She is now plying the high seas under the name of Bon Premier and flies the French flag. At the beginning of the present war the Frieda Mahn was on her way from Hamburg to Callao and was seized by a French warship and towed to Cherbourg. Recently she was declared a lawful prize and was sold to French owners, who gave her the name of Bon Premier. Needless to add, the Bon Premier was soon placed under charter, a good freight being secured for her in the carriage of cargo from Maryport to a Queensland port for the Commonwealth Government.

As the Frieda Mahn, this vessel made many voyages in the past, being almost exclusively engaged in transporting lumber from British Columbia and Puget Sound ports. No word has yet been received of the Russian bark Endymion, which is now fully due here on passage from Adelaide, South Australia, to Vancouver. It is understood that the Russian vessel is to receive her orders off the Columbia River, and in that case it is improbable that she will come to the Royal Roads to discharge ballast, but will proceed in tow direct to the Mainland port. The Endymion is under charter to Heatley & Co. and will load a full cargo of lumber at the Hastings mills for the United Kingdom.

N. Y. K. PLANS GIFTS FOR SHAREHOLDERS

Will Pay First Instalment on New Shares Resulting From Doubling of Capital

The directors of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha have decided to double the company's capital of 22,000,000 yen. The method of increasing the capital is to let the present shareholders of the company take up all the new shares, one new share for each old one, and the first instalment of each share, or 12.50 yen, is to be paid out of the reserve fund, which the company keeps for the shareholders.

Besides, the directors decided to pay each shareholder in cash out of the same reserve fund 6.50 yen per share as an anniversary gift on the thirtieth anniversary of the establishment of the company.

This cash distribution, however, is strongly opposed by the authorities concerned, who declare they will not sanction such an unreasonable dividend.

Despite the strenuous efforts on the part of the authorities of the company, Mr. Taketomi, the Japanese Minister of Communications, is reported to be denouncing the distribution of cash.

He is reported to have declared that if the authorities of the company, in face of his opposition, dare adopt the plan, he will decrease the amount of state subsidy to be given the company for its navigation service.

BIGGER GUNS FOR GERMAN BATTLESHIPS

Many Difficulties in Way of Refitting Old Vessels With Heavier Batteries

Germany is re-arming certain of her battleships, says the naval correspondent of The Daily Mail. The information in question originally came from a German naval officer interned in Holland. He stated that since the war began Germany had completed a Dreadnought of 25,600 tons and a battle cruiser of 26,200 tons, and in both ships had substituted 15-in. guns for 12-in. guns. Four more Dreadnoughts and a number of battle cruisers are nearing completion, and will be ready by the end of 1915. They will, it is said, be armed with guns even larger than the 15-in. By the first two ships, the Ersatz Brandenburg and Lutzow are clearly meant. Both are now complete. Both were to have been armed with 12-in. guns, according to the German naval handbooks.

The difficulties in the way of fitting heavier guns than those for which a ship has been designed are these: Alterations in the turrets and gun mountings will be necessary, and these are slow and costly to make; the weights in the ship will be altered, and her stability may be affected; the strain of the heavier artillery may also be dangerous to her hull. While these difficulties are very serious in the case of completed ships, they are not so grave in the case of ships which are incomplete, and where the turrets and gun fittings have not been delivered, with skill they can be overcome.

The new German big guns are very light for their size, and this makes an increase in armament easier. Thus Krupp lists a 15-in. gun weighing only 66 tons, against 96 tons for our British gun of the same size. Ten German 15-in. guns would weigh no more than ten British 12.5-in. guns, such as have been put into many of our ships. There is nothing impossible, then, in the statement that in a German ship which is quite as large as the Iron Duke 15-in. guns have been mounted.

The second batch of ships to which the German officer referred were in a much less forward state when war broke out. There is nothing whatever to prevent changes from being made in their design, and heavier artillery than the 15-in. guns originally intended for them from being mounted. Krupp, before the war, had designed a 16-in. gun weighing 100 tons and firing a shell of 2,028 lbs. Since the war, according to reports from neutrals, the Krupp firm have been building 18-in. guns, firing a shell of about 3,000 lbs.

The main point of this news is that it should prepare us to find that the new German ships are much more heavily armed than the tables and pocket-books would lead us to suppose.

To appreciate the importance of this news it must be remembered that victory in this war has gone uniformly to the big guns. The British battle cruisers routed Admiral Hippe's squadron because they mounted 13.5-in. guns, while the German ships carried nothing heavier than 11-in. or 12-in. Admiral Cradock was beaten by the Germans at Coronel because he could oppose only two heavy guns to twelve. Admiral von Spee's fleet was destroyed at the Falkland Islands because it could only match 8-in. guns against the 12-in. guns in Admiral Seymour's squadron.

The big gun hits harder, carries farther, and pierces thicker armor than the smaller weapon. Moreover, its shell, bursting inside an enemy's ship, has a far more terrible effect than the smaller shell. The German 12-in. gun fires a projectile weighing 850 lb., and containing some 20 lb. of high explosive. The German 15-in. shell weighs 1,675 lbs., and contains 70 lb. of high explosive. Its effect is not twice, but quite four times, as deadly as that of a 12-in. shell. So that, by substituting 15-in. guns for 12-in., the Germans increase the power of each gun fourfold.

The British Navy led the German in adopting big guns with heavy shells. It gained an immense start, which the Germans are now painfully trying to make up. So long as it shows all possible vigor and energy in maintaining its advantage it has nothing to fear. But if its efforts should be relaxed, if there were slackness in shipbuilding yards, then there would be exceeding danger.

Our rule of safety is to build our hardest, big ships as well as small, to arm them with the heaviest guns, and to call in every resource of science to our aid. So long as the German battle fleet is undestroyed there is always peril.

The Commonwealth Statistician publishes a statement concerning trades unionism in Australia, in which it is shown that the total membership in such organizations, all Australia included, is 423,000, out of a total population of less than 5,000,000.

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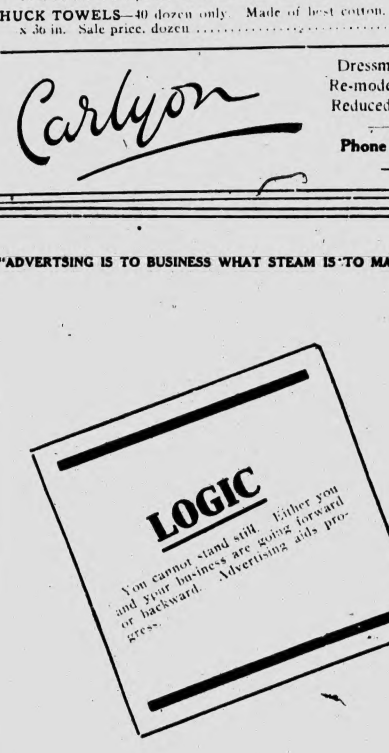
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ROYAL CITY WINS BOTH LACROSSE GAMES

Professionals and Amateurs From Vancouver Both Easily Outplayed by Westminster Stick Handlers.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., July 17.—With the Red Shirts playing at Queen's Park, the players of Westminster Club demonstrated that they could defeat Vancouver on any field. They started to score in the first two minutes and they kept it up to the last few seconds. Westminster won by a score of 11 to 2. On the day's play the Royals demonstrated that they could do pretty much as they liked, and from the start this evidently was impressed on the Vancouver team. In the brief space of three minutes and twenty seconds after the game started, the locals scored three goals. Vancouver may have had an idea before the game began that they could duplicate the success of the last league game in Vancouver, but it did not last long. They played a very tame game throughout, and it would be hard to say who were the weakest men on the line-up.

The teams lined up as follows:

Vancouver.	Position.	Westminster.
Bibbons	Goal	Clark
Griffiths	Point	Howard
Painter	Cover	Marshall
Pickering	1st Defence	T. Rennie
McCuaig	2nd Defence	Cooper
Ion	3rd Defence	G. Rennie
McLaren	Centre	H. Gifford
Peacock	3rd Home	C. Spring
Murray	2nd Home	Wintemute
Crookall	1st Home	Feeney
Allen	Outside	J. Gifford
Brynjolfsen	Inside	G. Spring

Referee—Dr. T. G. Moody.

Goal Summary—First quarter: 1, J. Gifford, Westminster, 2:05; 2, Feeney, Westminster, 5:5; 3, Wintemute, Westminster, 20; 4, G. Spring, Westminster, 11:10. Second quarter: 5, Feeney, Westminster, 4:0; 6, C. Spring, Westminster, 12:50. Third quarter: 7, Allen, Vancouver, 6:55; 8, Brynjolfsen, Vancouver, 5:00; 9, Cooper, Westminster, 6:30. Fourth quarter: 10, Marshall, Westminster, 5:30; 11, H. Gifford, Westminster, 1:50; 12, G. Spring, Westminster, 6:20; 13, T. Rennie, Westminster, 6:00.

Penalties—First quarter: none. Second quarter: Wintemute, ten minutes; J. Gifford, five minutes; J. Gifford, ten minutes; Ion, ten minutes. Third quarter: McLaren, five minutes; Ion, 20 minutes; J. Gifford five minutes, Painter, five minutes. Fourth quarter: McLaren, five minutes; Clark, 10 minutes, Crookall, 10 minutes.

V. A. C. Team Blanked

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 17.—New Westminster practically clinched the Mann Cup when they blanked the V. A. C. team in one of the fastest amateur games seen this season, this afternoon. The visitors scored one goal in the first three-quarters and two in the last, while the V. A. C. boys were unable to get one past Stoddart, in the Westminster nets, at any time.

With the score 3 to 0 against them, Vancouver opened some very strenuous play in the last period, but with the heavy defence of the visitors they were unable to do anything.

The victory of the New Westminster boys was largely due to the fact that Tommy Gifford has so coached the boys that there was always an extra man on the defence.

George Tuck officiated, and in the opinion of the rooters from the Royal City, some of his decisions were questionable, as he chased several of the Red Shirts to the bench at critical moments. There was a fairly good attendance.

The teams lined up as follows:

V. A. C.	Position.	Westminster.
Davis	goal	Stoddart
Campbell	point	W. Patchell
Mason	cover point	Nelson
Carter	1st defence	Gregory
R. Painter	2nd defence	Atkinson
Gillanders	3rd defence	Batson
Hill	centre	Sangster
Freeman	3rd home	Huff
J. Painter	2nd home	Pentland
McLeod	1st home	Feeney
Feedham	outside home	Storme
Doidge	inside home	Murray

Summary—First quarter: 1, Huff, Westminster, 13:25. Second quarter: 2, Storme, Westminster, 6:05. Third quarter: 3, Huff, Westminster, 19:10. Fourth quarter: 4, Sangster, Westminster, 5:50; 5, Sangster, Westminster, 8:50.

British Battery of Field Artillery on Firing Line in Region of Ypres



Drawn by F. Matania, in Sphere.

The officer in the foreground is described as having just received a message by field telephone. After consulting his maps hurriedly he replies: "Tell the observer we will fire on X," and then devotes himself to his battery. The man at the left of the gun is seen training the weapon on the new target. One man is pressing down the spade at the end of the cylindrical trail, while another holds the shell in readiness.

LAWN BOWLING

Championship Doubles Won by Webster and Lothian—Results of the Week's Play

On Wednesday afternoon the finals in the championship doubles were played off between Webster and Lothian, and Fairfull and Ferguson, the former pair winning out after a hard contest by a few points, thus winning the championship for the season.

Other contests played off during the week resulted as follows: Roberts defeated Peter Turner in the championship singles for the Clayton cup. For the Shout, Hill & Duncan cup, Bramley defeated Fraser, Alexander defeated Dunn, Abby defeated Hiscocs, Stevenson defeated McLean, Greenhill defeated Allen, Yates defeated Johnston, and McBride defeated Bryce.

Much interest was shown in all the contests.

Captain Garlick Exonerated

SEATTLE, July 17.—Capt. T. W. Garlick, master of the steamship Minnesota, the largest vessel on the Pacific Coast, was today acquitted of all blame in connection with the vessel's stranding on Iwa Shima Island, off the coast of Japan, on the night of April 11. United States Marine Inspectors Whitney and Turner, who rendered the decision after an investigation, declared that the vessel was carried off her course by an unusual set of currents.

American Aviators' Exploits

PARIS, July 17.—Elliott C. Cowden, of New York, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant and cited in orders of the day for gallant services in destroying, single-handed, a Taube aeroplane in the Verdun region. William Thaw also has received a commission in recognition of daring exploits.

Alleged Dynamite Plot

FAIRMONT, W. Va., July 17.—Three men were arrested here today for plotting to dynamite the homes of Former U. S. Senator Watson and three of his relatives, officials of the Consolidated Coal Company, because the corporation has been shipping coal to the Allies. The plot was exposed by a boy who overheard the conspirators.

Montenegrin Murder

THREE RIVERS, Que., July 17.—The brothers Luka and Yellia Yukenevitch were held criminally responsible for the death of Radovan Kovacevich at the Montenegrin concentration camp when the inquest was held Thursday night. The victim was found to have been "killed by revolver shots." The killing occurred after a card game.

MAURICE M'LOUGHLIN WINS AT 'FRISCO

William Johnstone Gave the World's Tennis Champion One of His Hardest Matches —Five Sets Played.

SAN FRANICISCO, July 17.—Maurice McLoughlin, champion lawn tennis player of the world, today won the exposition championship in men's singles on the courts of the California Lawn Tennis Club by defeating William Johnston in one of the hardest fought matches ever played by the champion. Five sets were required to decide the issue, the final score being 7-9; 4-6; 8-6; 6-2; 7-5.

Johnston and "Johnnie" Strachan defeated Church and Mathey in the doubles.

Summary—Men's singles: Maurice McLoughlin, San Francisco, beat Wm. Johnston, San Francisco, 7-9; 4-6; 8-6; 6-2; 7-5.

Men's doubles: Wm. Johnston, San Francisco, and John Strachan, San Francisco, beat G. M. Church and Dean Mathey, both of Princeton, 6-2; 2-6; 7-5; 6-1.

Women's singles: Miss Anita Meyers, San Francisco, beat Miss Marjorie Wales, 6-4; 6-2.

INTER-CITY CRICKET TO AID RED CROSS

Return Match Against Vancouver to Be Played on August 7 on Hospital Ground—Red Cross to Benefit.

Mr. Illingworth, of Vancouver, has asked for a return cricket match against Mr. Orr's XI. in Victoria on Saturday, August 7.

The receipts from this game have been offered to the Red Cross Society, who have not only accepted the proffered patriotic contribution, but members of the society have undertaken to assist in making the event a success.

Victoria C. C. C. have courteously placed the Jubilee Hospital grounds at the disposal of the committee in charge of the game.

Not to be outdone by former donors, the Victoria District Cricket Association called a special meeting and declared all association fixtures off for that day.

The general interest in the "Cause" and the game bids fair to produce a representative gathering rivaling the best days of Victoria cricket.

Tickets will be freely distributed as soon as they can be printed.

Officers on Leave

LONDON, July 17.—Col. Lamb and Major Brown, of the Canadian staff, and Capt. Irving, of Toronto, of the Engineers, have arrived from the front on leave.

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CRICKET MATCHES PLAYED YESTERDAY

Garrison Meets With First Defeat of the Season at Hands of Civilians—Games Were All Close.

The outstanding feature of yesterday's cricket was the defeat of the Garrison by the Civil Service after a very close match on the Albion grounds. This is the first time this season that the Garrison's colors have been lowered, and it makes the sixth straight win for the Civilians.

The Garrison, batting first, compiled 84, Paton with a well-played 37 having all the batting honors of the side. Askey just managed to get into double figures with 10, but, with Pooley bowled for 8 and Roberson, the Garrison's redoubtable stone-waller, dismissed by Speak for 4 only, the chances of the Garrison compiling a big total were remote, and the wickets fell rapidly before Speak's attack, he getting 5 for 18. Welsh and Morley took two wickets apiece for 26 and 22, respectively.

In spite of their getting the Garrison out so cheaply, things looked none too promising for the Civilians in the early part of their innings, three wickets being down for 7 runs, Morley being caught and bowled by Askey for 2, and Howland run out for a single. On Freeman partnering Speak a different complexion was put on the game, both batsmen performing in splendid style, and their opponents' score was passed when Freeman was bowled by Askey after a most useful innings of 38, Speak following not long after with 43 to his credit after a very fine batting display. These two batsmen practically won the match, as the tail was very much in evidence as such, and the highest individual score after these two was 4.

Askey and Kelley shared the bowling honors pretty evenly, Askey getting 4 for 47 and Kelley 4 for 30, two men being run out.

The Garrison made a sporting effort to pull the match out of the fire in the second innings, declaring the innings closed with 9 wickets down for 80. The Civil Service again went in to bat, and in half an hour's play the score read 50 for one wicket down.

The full score of the first innings follows:

Garrison

Askey, run out	10
Stephens, b Welch	3
Paton, B Speak	37
Pooley, b Morley	8
Roberson, b Speak	4
Heals, b Morley	1
Wyndham, b Welch	9
Clark, b Speak	5
Montgomery, not out	3
Kelley, b Speak	0
Read, b Speak	0
Extras	4
Total	84

Civil Service

S. F. Morley, c and b Askey	2
T. Howland, run out	1
W. Speak, b Askey	43
F. C. Belson, run out	1
E. T. Freeman, b Askey	38
N. Lowden, c Read b Askey	4
N. F. Pite, b Kelley	0
P. N. Welch, b Kelley	3
C. A. Booth, not out	1
J. R. Mountain, b Kelley	0
C. E. Tildesley, b Kelley	0
Extras	3
Total	96

It was an unlucky day for the military yesterday, the Fifth Regiment also losing their match against the Five C's at Work Point. The Fifth were without the services of Capt. Birch, who has not yet sufficiently recovered from his accident to be able to play, and Gunner Westwood, their crack bowler, which undoubtedly made a big difference to them, but the Five C's were playing good cricket, and their win was the outcome of a fine sporting match.

At the end of the first innings the 5th Regiment were winning by twelve runs, but the Five C's, on going in a second time, put together ninety-four for a loss of four wickets, when they declared, and put the Regiment in again, succeeding in getting them all out for a total of fifty-five. Greeley in his second innings, when he made thirty-seven not out, included a fine hit for six.

The full score and analysis follows:

Five C's

First Innings

G. Nicholls b Attwell	0
R. S. May c Attwell b Wells	14
R. T. Lea b Attwell	17
H. S Radcliffe c Bush b Wells	10
W. Gibson run out	9
H. S Greeley c Attwell b Wells	1
G. Leeming b Wells	3
J. Nicholls c and b Wells	25
J. Clowes b Wells	0
A. E. Lea b Attwell	13
P. C. Payne not out	4
Extras	1
Total	103

Second Innings

G. Nicholls c Bush b Wells	7
R. V. Lea c Denby b Attwell	5
H. S. Radcliffe not out	34
G. Leeming not out	37
P. C. Payne b Wells	9
Extras	2
*Total	94

5th Regiment

First Innings

Cpl. Bush run out	22
Gr. Summer c R. V. Lea b Greeley	3
Gr. Green b Greeley	18
Gr. Wells b Radcliffe	38
Lt. Denby b Greeley	6
Bdr. Earnshaw run out	13
Lt. Craddock b Radcliffe	1
Sgt. Bell c and b Radcliffe	12
Gr. Attwell c G. Nicholls b Greeley	0
Cpl. Wright not out	0
Gr. Fowler did not bat.	
Extras	2
Total	115

Second Innings

Cpl. Bush c Leeming b Radcliffe	26
Gr. Summer b Radcliffe	0
Gr. Green c J. Nicholls b Radcliffe	3
Gr. Wells c Leeming b Greeley	26
Lt. Denby b Greeley	2
Bdr. Earnshaw c Clowes b Radcliffe	0
Lt. Craddock b Radcliffe	2
Sgt. Bell not out	0
Gr. Attwell c and b Greeley	4
Cpl. Wright c and b Greeley	4
Gr. Fowler did not bat.	
Total	55

Bowling Analysis

5 C's First Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Attwell	16	3	59
Wells	15	6	33

5 C's Second Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Attwell	7	1	36
Wells	7	3	47
Craddock	1	0	9

5th Regt. First Innings—

Radcliffe	13	3	44
Greeley	14.3	4	46
Payne	2	0	23

5th Regt. Second Innings—

Radcliffe	8	2	22
Greeley	7.5	6	33

*Innings declared closed.

The match between the Albion and Victoria Cricket Clubs, played at the Jubilee Hospital ground, provided another close and exciting contest, the home team defeating the visitors by 11 runs. Sparks and Orr were the Albion representatives who gained most distinction, each of them getting 20 runs, and taking all the wickets between them but one, Sparks getting 5 for 34, and Orr 3 for 53.

A. Martin was in his old form and scored 48 for Victoria, when he retired, Hill and Goward getting 17 apiece. Goward and Vaughan were the most successful bowlers for the home club, the score:

Albion

H. A. Ismay c Göward b Vaughan	0
H. Hudson b Vaughan	12
F. A. Sparks c Laurence b Vaughan	20
H. R. Orr c Hill b Vaughan	20
G. H. Walton run out	7
H. Smith c Laurence b Booth	6
A. Gardner b Goward	10
H. Edgar b Goward	8
E. B. Hart b Goward	2
W. Gregson run out	9
A Gard not out	6
Extras	11
Total	111

Victoria

H. Vaughan b Sparks	11
A. Booth b Orr	10
T. Smith lbw. b Orr	2
L. Gurney b Orr	0
A. Martin retired	48
A. Hill c Gardner b Orr	17
H. A. Goward b Sparks	17
A. Laurence b Sparks	5
T. Hayward c Holt b Sparks	2
W. F. Mitchell b Sparks	1
L. Wyles not out	4
Extras	5
Total	122

Bowling Analysis

Albion—	O.	W.	R.
Goward	15	3	27
Vaughan	12	4	48
Booth	4	1	10
Mitchell	4	0	11
Hill	1	0	4

Victoria	O.	W.	R.
F. Sparks	16.2	5	34
Orr	14	3	53
Gardner	5	1	12
Walton	3	0	15

The remaining league match played yesterday was between the Congregationals and the Civic Association, the score being as follows:

Congregational—First Innings

E. R. Lock, c F. Bossom b H. Bossom	3
P. Cowman, b Tucker	4
W. R. Parkiter, b Tucker	1
A. J. Collett, lbw Tucker	7
E. Riley, b H. Bossom	0
W. Erickson, b H. Bossom	0
H. Scarff, lbw Tucker	0
S. Ferris, c Neville b Tucker	8
J. Moffatt, b Watrous	8
J. Rutherford, not out	0
D. Laity, b Watrous	0
Extras	9
Total	35

Second Innings

E. R. Lock, not out	8
P. Cowman, c H. Bossom b Watrous	0
W. R. Parkiter, run out	6
A. J. Collett, c Neville b H. Bossom	30
E. Riley, c Rhodes b H. Bossom	5
W. Erickson, b H. Bossom	18
H. Scarf, run out	2
J. Moffatt, b H. Bossom	1
Extras	5
Total for 7 wickets	74

Civic Association—First Innings

H. Bossom, run out	1
J. Watrous, lbw Erickson	7
G. Downs, c Parkiter b Collett	0
H. Neville, b Erickson	3
W. A. Tucker, Erickson	3
E. Rogers, c Pargiter b Erickson	5
F. Bossom, b Erickson	14
H. Whiteoak, b Lock	1
G. Rawnsley, b Erickson	1
F. D. Todd, not out	2
J. Rhodes, b Erickson	2
Extras	4
Total	44

Second Innings

H. Bossom, c Riley b b Ferris	11
J. Watrous, c S. Ferris b Collett	0
G. Downs, b Collett	0
H. Neville, b Collett	2
W. A. Tucker, not out	7
E. Rogers, lbw S. Ferris	4
Extras	7
Total for 5 wickets	31

Bowling Analysis

Congregationals—First Innings

	O.	W.	R.
Tucker	10	5	34
H. Bossom	9	3	12
J. Watrous	5	2	9



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Second Innings

	O.	W.	R.
Tucker	9	0	38
H. Bossom	7	1	13
J. Watrous	3	1	4
Rawnsley	4	0	5
Downes	2	0	8

Civic Association—First Innings

	O.	W.	R.
Collett	7	1	16
Erickson	9.5	7	19
Lock	3	1	4

Second Innings

	O.	W.	R.
Collett	8	3	6
Erickson	6	0	7
Lock	1	0	1
S. Ferris	5.1	2	5
H. Scarff	1	0	5

ALBION'S "B" TEAM WON FROM THE NAVY

Good Sporting Game Played on Canteen Ground Yesterday—Albion the Victors by 16 Runs

The Albion B team had a win to their credit at the end of their match with the Navy on the Canteen ground yesterday afternoon after an interesting game. A fine contribution of 43 not out by Clarke was the feature of the Albion's innings, the majority of their wickets falling rather cheaply and the telegraph looking rather ominous for them until the latter part of the innings. They ended with the very respectable total of 112, however, and against this the Navy succeeded in compiling 94 only, thus falling short of a victory by 18 runs.

Lee bowled throughout the innings, getting 4 wickets for 61. Marshall and Claperton also doing good work with the ball and having very useful averages. The score:

Albion B

L. W. Stephenson, c Claperton	6
E. W. Ismay, c King b Claperton	15
W. F. Loveland, c Kingston b Lee	0
V. Meekin, b Lee	14
E. Parson, b Lee	3
A. J. Cantwell, b Marshall	4
F. Ashby, l b w, b Marshall	1
W. J. Clarke, not out	43
R. A. Lagerwall, c Kingston b Lee	6
F. King, b Lee	6
F. Jordon, b Marshall	4
Extras	10
Total	112

The Navy

Marshall, l b w, b Stephenson	18
Mansfield, run out	4
Sales, c Jordan b Ismay	0
Knight, c and b Stephenson	22
Lee, b Ismay	10
Haddorf, b Stephenson	11
Seal, run out	4
Hilton, b Ismay	12
Claperton, not out	8
Kingston, b Ismay	2
Thorpe, b Stephenson	1
Extras	2
Total	94

Bowling Analysis

Albion—	O.	W.	R.
Lee	15	4	61
Claperton	6	2	18
Marshall	6	3	15
Sales	3	7	0

Navy—	O.	W.	R.
Parsons	5	0	21
Ismay	11	4	49
Stephenson	6	1	22

LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS

National

At Philadelphia—Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 0.

At New York—First game—St. Louis, 4; New York, 1.

Second game — St. Louis, 0; New York, 2.

At Brooklyn—First game—Pittsburg, 5; Brooklyn, 3.

Second game—Pittsburg, 3; Brooklyn, 7. (Called end 7th, rain).

At Boston—First game—Cincinnati, 2; Boston, 3.

Second game—Cincinnati, 2; Boston, 3.

American

At Cleveland—First game—Washington, 3; Cleveland, 2.

Second game—Washington, 10; Cleveland, 4.

At Detroit—Philadelphia, 1; Detroit, 0.

At Chicago—First game—Boston, 8; Chicago, 4.

Second game—Boston, 0; Chicago, 4.

At St. Louis—New York, 3; St. Louis, 4.

Federal

At Pittsburg—First game—Buffalo, 5; Pittsburg, 3.

Second game—Buffalo, 3; Pittsburg, 7.

At Kansas City—Newark, 3; Kansas City, 6.

At Chicago—First game—Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 7.

Second game—Brooklyn, 5; Chicago, 4.

At St. Louis — Baltimore, 4; St. Louis, 7.

Coast

At Portland—First game—San Francisco, 4; Portland, 3 (10 innings).

Second game—San Francisco, 3; Portland, 0.

At San Francisco—Salt Lake, 1; Oakland, 3.

At Los Angeles—Vernon, 6; Los Angeles, 2.

MAPLE LEAFS EVEN UP WITH BEAVERS

Hanson Pitched Well for Victoria--Spokane and Tacoma Break Even in Double-Header —Seattle Again a Winner.

Standing of the Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spokane	56	33	.629
Tacoma	51	40	.560
Vancouver	43	46	.483
Victoria	41	47	.466
Seattle	40	50	.444
Aberdeen	39	54	.419

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 17.—The Victoria team evened up the series with Vancouver this afternoon by winning the game by a score of 6 to 3. Hanson pitched good ball after the first two innings, and errors were mainly responsible for the three runs scored by Vancouver. Smith, for Vancouver, blew up in the sixth inning, giving two bases on balls and allowing five hits, these being good for six runs. Score:

Vancouver—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Murphy, 3 b	3	2	1	1	4	0
Killilay, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
McCarl, 1b	2	0	0	14	0	0
Brinker, cf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Frisk, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Brottem, c	4	0	2	6	0	0
Nye, 2b	4	0	0	4	5	0
Fitzsimmons, ss	4	0	0	1	4	0
Smith, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	31	3	5	27	17	0

Victoria—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tobin, lf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Butler, ss	4	0	1	0	2	0
Kayler, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Kelly, 1b	3	1	1	14	0	0
Godfrey, 3b	4	1	1	0	4	0
Brown, 2b	4	1	3	3	5	2
Williams, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hoffman, c	3	0	1	2	0	0
Hanson, p	4	1	2	0	4	0
Totals	33	6	10	27	15	2

Score by innings:

Vancouver	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Victoria	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	—6

Summary: Two-base hits—Frisk, Brottem. Three-base hits—Killilay, Butler. Stolen bases—Kaylor, Murphy, McCarl, Brown. Sacrifice fly—McCarl. Double plays—Murphy to Nye to McCarl (2). Struck out—By Smith, 5; by Hanson, 2. Bases on balls—Off Smith, 4; off Hanson, 4. Left on bases—Vancouver, 5; Victoria, 4. Time of game, 1:33. Umpire, Frary.

TACOMA, July 17.—Baseball luck enabled the Spokane Indians to win one of today's double-header with Tacoma. With McGinnity pitching in fine form, Tacoma won the first game 5 to 0. McGinnity also started the second game and held the visitors scoreless until the seventh. It was 24 innings pitched by McGinnity without a score being made off him. Kauffman replaced him in the ninth, and in the tenth two hits and a sacrifice scored the visitors' winning run, making the score 2 to 2.

Score (first game)—	R.	H.	E.
Spokane	5	5	0
Tacoma	0	3	1

Batteries: Noyes and Brennegan; McGinnity, Kauffman and Stevens.

SEATTLE, July 17.—By defeating Aberdeen here today, 10 to 6, Seattle won her eighth straight game. The contest was featured by heavy hitting by both teams, in which Seattle had the advantage.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	10	14	2
Aberdeen	6	10	1

Batteries: Eastley and Cadman; Meikle, Engle and Vance.

WORLD'S RECORDS SMASHED WHOLESALE

Swimming Championships at San Francisco See Times Lowered for Five Events

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Four world's records and one American record were broken here tonight in the Panama-Pacific Exposition indoor swimming championship meet. Duke Kahanamoku, swimming the 100 yards in 54 2-5 seconds, lowered his own record by 1-5 second. Michel McDermott broke all records for the 200-yard dash with a mark of 2 min. 49 3-5 sec. Ludy Langer, Los Angeles, covered the 500-yard dash in 6:13 4-5. The Illinois A. C. won the relay in 37 min. 43 1-5 sec. Miss Frances Cowells lowered the American record in the 220-yard dash for girls to 3 min. 30 sec.

Prince Ranjitsinhji of Nawanagar, now serving at the front, rules over 3,791 square miles of territory in India.

Manila has a mean annual temperature of a shade more than 80 degrees.

ISLAND ASSOCIATION NOW IN EXISTENCE

Old Club Reorganized and New Officers Elected—Is Representative of the Whole of the Island.

At the recent enthusiastic meeting of the old Victoria Automobile Association, it was decided to change the name of the club to that of the Island Automobile Association, and officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, A. E. Todd; vice-presidents, L. A. Walker, Major Forsythe, J. B. Hodgins (Nanaimo), E. H. Godwin (Duncan); treasurer, Thos. R. Cusack; secretary, C. L. Harris; board of governors, Thos. Plimley, W. S. Terry, James Hunter, C. G. Fraser, Joshua Kingham, James Adam, J. L. Beckwith, Stephen Jones, George Carter, Lester Patrick, A. W. Elliott, J. H. Fletcher, Geo. McGregor, H. Cuthbert.

The chief aim of the association is to encourage the construction of good roads throughout the Island and the maintenance of them, particular attention being paid to the Provincial highways. The board of governors comprises men who are very energetic, and through their efforts the association should prove one of the most powerful organizations of its kind in Canada.

The vice-presidents represent four districts up the Island, Alberni, Comox, Nanaimo and Duncan. These points will also be represented on the board of governors, according to the number of men joining in the respective districts.

The police commissioners have approved of the association card to be issued to each member, which, in case of trouble in the violation of the laws regulating motor cars, will be valuable. The association vouches for the appearance of its members in court, and furthermore, in case bail is requested, the association will provide it. This identification card number will correspond with that of the emblem.

New Emblem Adopted

A new emblem has been adopted. It is a small metal map of the Island with blue enamel setting, showing the Island and Canadian highways. This is to be worn on the member's car, preferably on the radiator.

Sister towns, like Nanaimo, Duncan, etc., will, it is believed, lend strong support to the association, and it is believed that much good work will be accomplished in advertising the resources and attractions of the Island, through the medium of the association.

Major Forsythe, owing to the call of military duties, resigned, and Mr. C. L. Harris was appointed in his stead. Mr. E. H. Godwin will be vice-president for Duncan, Mr. J. B. Hodgins, for Nanaimo; Mr. George McGregor, on the board of governors for Saanich district, and Mr. A. W. Elliott, for a similar post for Oak Bay district.

The first club run will be to Brentwood Bay on July 24. On August 7 Port Angeles will receive a call from the members of the association, in connection with the big Georgian Circuit meet to be held there on that date.

The association is organized entirely in the interest of the motorist. It will erect and keep in good condition sign boards on all the roads of the Island needing them. It undertakes to attract, and care for, motorist tourists, and largely it will be through the constant efforts of the association that the Island and Canadian Highways will be kept in excellent condition from a motorist's point of view.

PLAYGROUND BASEBALL

The following were the results in the recent matches played in the Playground League. In the Bantam class on Friday afternoon, the Beacon Hills won from the Leafs by 13 to 0 at Heywood Avenue; on Friday evening in the Midget class, the North Wards beat the Federals by 15 to 3, and on Saturday morning, in the Wasp class, the Athletics beat the Beavers by 45 to 4.

The schedule for this week is as follows: In the Wasp division, Tuesday, 10 a. m., Bees vs. Beavers, at Central Park; Thursday afternoon, Athletics vs. Bees, at Heywood Avenue; Friday afternoon, Bees vs. Beavers, at Central Park.

In the Bantam division, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Tigers vs. Leafs, at Central Park; Wednesday morning, Beacon Hills vs. Tigers, at Heywood Avenue; Saturday morning, Leafs vs. Beacon Hills, at Central Park.

In the Midget division, Monday evening, at 6:30, Y. M. C. A. vs. Crescents, at Heywood Avenue; Tuesday evening, Federals vs. Giants, at Central Park; Thursday evening, Athletics vs. North Wards, at Heywood Avenue; Friday evening, Giants vs. Y. M. C. A., at Central Park, upper diamond; Federals and Crescents on Central Park, lower diamond.

The Junior Playground League will probably be launched next week. The Beacon Hills and Federals are entered already, and it is expected that the Athletics will enter tomorrow.

Ice Dogs Won

The annual baseball match between the Ice Dogs and the Y. M. C. A. played yesterday on the Songhees diamond resulted in a win for the former by a score of 9 to 2. The field was somewhat rough, but the fun was fast and furious. The batteries were, for the "Y's," Dixon and McKeown, for the Dogs, Bobby Rowe, McDiarmid and Wakeley. Alec. Straith distinguished himself at shortstop for the "Y's," and Beckwith also brought off some nice catches, but the Ice Dogs were too slippery and won as stated.

World's Record for Ness

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Jack Ness landed on the ball for a safe hit in the fourth inning of the game today between Oakland and Salt Lake, again setting a new world's record by hitting safely in forty-five consecutive games.

Record Beat Vanitie

LARCHMONT, N. Y., July 17.—In a fluky breeze the sloop Resolute won from the Vanitie today by 26 minutes, 12 seconds, elapsed time. The boats sailed over a special 23-mile course in the first race of the Larchmont yacht club's regatta week. The Vanitie was steered by Cornelius Vanderbilt.

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Women's All-White Buck Button Boots in the new, smart stage last; a very dressy, stylish shoe; Goodyear welted.

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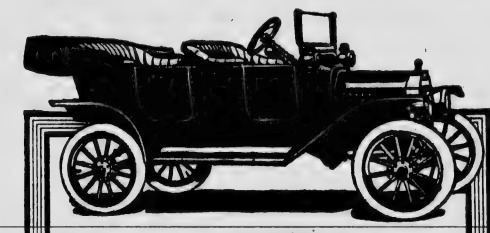
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7th Battalion, transferred from 30th Battalion



PTE. F. E. BOWSER
16th Battalion



PTE. JOHN BURNS
15th Battalion, transferred from 30th Battalion



PTE. H. B. BUTLER
16th Battalion



PTE. W. E. NORMAN
16th Battalion, transferred from 30th Battalion



PTE. CHAS. H. HILL
16th Battalion, died of wounds



PTE. J. T. DAVIES
16th Battalion



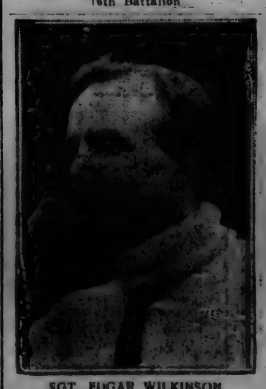
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SGT. EDGAR WILKINSON
16th Battalion



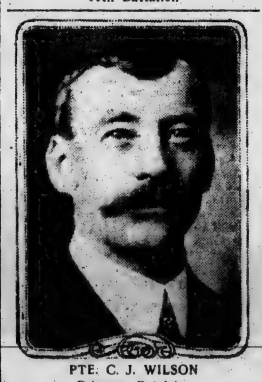
PTE. F. E. MOORE
16th Battalion



CPL. W. F. L. PILKINGTON
7th Battalion, transferred from 30th Battalion



SGT.-MAJ. H. V. WILLYAMS
16th Battalion



PTE. C. J. WILSON
Princess Patricias



PTE. HERBERT GRAINGER
30th Battalion

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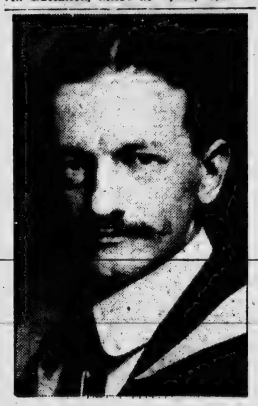


ENG.-LIEUT. W. W. RENNIE

88TH FUSILIERS



LIEUT. H. A. BROMLEY
7th Battalion, killed at Ypres, April 25



CAPT. R. V. HARVEY
7th Battalion, taken prisoner at Ypres, April 25; died at Hofgeismar



LIEUT. C. C. HOLMES
7th Battalion, killed at Ypres, April 25



LIEUT. N. A. JESSOP
7th Battalion, killed at Ypres, April 25



LIEUT. M. E. LAWRENCE
King's Royal Rifles, transferred from 88th Fusiliers



LCE.-CPL. W. DRUMMOND
7th Battalion



PTE. GEORGE ELLIOTT
7th Battalion



PTE. A. FRANKLIN
7th Battalion



CPL. FRANK GALLIHER
16th Battalion, transferred from 30th Battalion

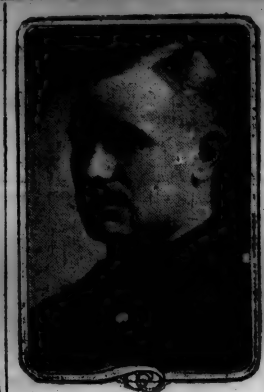


PTE. A. V. MALPASS
7th Battalion, died of wounds



SGT. JAMES SMITH
Princess Patricias, transferred from 50th Battalion

OTHER REGIMENTS



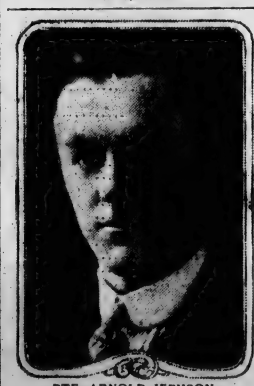
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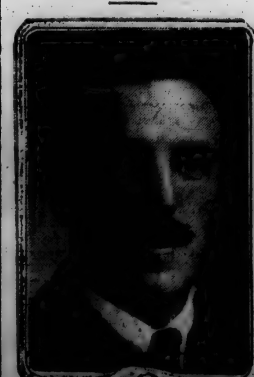
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30th Battalion



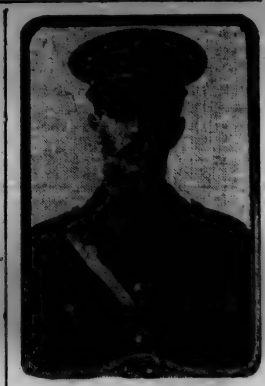
PTE. ARNOLD JEPHSON
Princess Patricias, transferred from 30th Battalion



LIEUT.-COMMANDER J. R. BOOTHBY
R.N.V.R., killed in Dardanelles



CAPT. G. L. WATSON
East Surrey Regiment



LIEUT. E. K. COLBOURNE
Royal Berkshire Regiment, died of wounds



LIEUT. J. DUNSMUIR
2nd C.M.R., lost on Lusitania



LIEUT. J. E. G. FERGUSSON
3rd Middlesex Regiment, enlisted in 50th Highlanders and transferred



CAPT. H. DE B. RIORDAN
East Surrey Regiment

LIEUT. C. L. CLARE
3rd Battalion

PTE. BERT LAVENDER
2nd Battalion

British Troops at Ypres Warned of Gas by Zouaves





TPR. DAVID ALEXANDER
King Edward Horse



PTE. F. C. FENN
Princess Patricias, transferred from 30th Battalion



BDR. P. J. RIVERS
3rd Artillery Brigade, transferred from 6th Regiment



BARBAROUS WEAPON OF WAR FACED BY CANADA'S TROOPS



SGT. COLIN MILBURN
16th Battalion, joined 30th Battalion from Prince Rupert



SGT. ROBERT PARKER
3rd Artillery Brigade, transferred from 6th Regiment, died of wounds



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STIRRING SPEECH BY GEN. E. A. H. ALDERSON

After Battle at St. Julien He Addressed Brigade—Importance of Part Played by the Canadians.

After twelve days and nights of constant fighting at St. Julien, from April 22 to May 4, General E. A. H. Alderson reviewed his shattered but unbeaten army and addressed the men, brigade by brigade. His speech on this stirring occasion was as follows:

"All units and all ranks of the 1st Canadian Division, I tell you truly that my heart is so full I hardly know how to speak to you. It is full of two feelings, the first being sorrow for the loss of those comrades of ours who have gone, and the second, pride in what the 1st Canadian Division has done.

"As regards our comrades who have lost their lives—and we will speak of them with our caps off (here he took his cap off, and all did likewise)—my faith in the Almighty is such that I am perfectly sure that when men die, as they have died, doing their duty and fighting for their country, for their Empire and to save the situation for others; in fact, "to die for their friends," no matter what their past lives have been, no matter what they have done that they ought not to have done (as all of us do), I repeat, I am perfectly sure that the Almighty takes them and looks after them at once. Lads, we cannot leave them better than like that. (Here he put on his cap and all did the same).

"Now, I think that we may, without any false pride, think a little of what the Division has done during the past few days.

"I would, first of all, tell you that I have never been so proud of anything in my life as I am of this armlet with '1st Canada' on it that I wear on my right arm. I thank you and congratulate you from the bottom of my heart, for the part each one of you has taken in giving me this pride.

"I think it is possible that you do not, all of you, quite realize that if we had retired on the evening of April 22—when the Allies fell back before the gas and left our left flank quite open—the whole of the 27th and 28th Divisions would probably have been cut off, certainly they would not have got away a gun or a vehicle of any sort, and probably not more than half the infantry.

"This is what our Commander-in-Chief meant when he telegraphed that 'the Canadians saved the situation.' My lads, if ever man had a right to be proud in this world you have.

"I know my military history pretty well, and I cannot think of an instance, especially when the cleverness and determination of the enemy is taken into account, in which troops were placed in such a difficult position, nor can I think of an instance in which so much depended on the standing fast of one Division.

"You will remember the last time I spoke to you, just before you went into the trenches at Sailly, now over two months ago, I told you about my old regiment—the Royal West Kents—having gained a reputation for not budging from their trenches, no matter how they were attacked. I said then that I was quite sure that in a short time the army out here would be saying the same of you.

"I little thought—we none of us thought—how soon these words would come true. But now, today, not only the army out here, but all Canada, all England, and all the Empire, are saying it of you.

"The share each unit has taken in earning this reputation is no small one.

"I have three pages of congratulatory telegrams from His Majesty the King downwards, which I will read to you, with also a very nice letter from our army commander, Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien.

"Now I doubt if any divisional commander, of any division, ever had so many congratulatory telegrams and messages as these, and remember, they are not merely polite and sentimental ones—they express just what the soldiers really feel.

"There is one more word I would say to you before we stop. You have made a reputation second to none gained in this war, but, remember, no man can live on his reputation; he must keep adding to it. That you will do so I feel just as sure as I did two months ago, when I told you that I knew you would make a reputation when the opportunity came.

"I am now going to shake hands with your officers, and as I do so I want you to feel that I am shaking hands with each one of you; as I would actually do if time permitted. No, we will not have any cheering now—we will keep that till you have added to your reputation, as I know you will."

"WAY OF TRANSGRESSOR"

Feature Film for Early Part of Week at the Royal Victoria Theatre —Other Good Films

The series of pictures that will be shown for the first three days of this week at the Royal Victoria Theatre, afternoon and evening, is a programme that should please. "The way of the Transgressor," a three-real Vitagraph drama of modern life, by William Addison Lathrop, is a photoplay that is well worth the attention of any audience. The story is strong in plot, skilful in construction, and receives its due at the hands of John Costello, Leo Delaney, and Anders Randolf who enact the leading parts. "Spades are Trumps," the old will complication in a new and uproariously funny setting, insures this one-reel farce a warm welcome. The author hit upon a novel scheme by which the hero is prevented from losing either a fortune or the girl of his choice. The different members of the cast keep matters moving briskly and scatter laughs on every hand. "Such Things Really Happen" shows the dangers that lurk in scenario writing, and are forcibly illustrated in this two-reel drama, by Emmett Campbell Hall. The author has sounded a word of warning to the ambitious, but misguided soul who is in danger of being swindled by a fraudulent "College of Photoplay Writing."

The Selig Pictorial has events of the warld day by day, the programme being finished off with a George Ade comedy, "The Fable of the Men at the Women's Club." The Royal orchestra has secured one of the latest progrremmes of music, which will be given at all performances.

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Victoria of Fifty Years Ago

By EDGAR FAWCETT.

British and Foreign Bible Society

The following advertisement appears in a July number, giving the local officers for Vancouver Island: Victoria President, Chief Justice Cameron; Victoria Secretary, Rev. Alex. C. Garrett, B.A.; Victoria Treasurer, John Wright (architect). Bibles to be had at the depot, at David Spencer's Book Store, Government Street.

This advertisement shows how many years our worthy townsman, Mr. Spencer has been in business in this city. At this date his book business was, strange to say, on the site now being prepared for the new block, corner Government and View, and which is to be connected with the present establishment by a tunnel under Broad Street, I understand.

Manley's Hotel

Old-timers, especially those connected with the Rifle Volunteers and Militia, will remember this locality at Clover Point, where the rifle butts were situated. This property is sold at auction by Messrs. Franklin for $1,600. "This is considered a great sacrifice." (I should say so. E. F.)

Cricket Match, Victoria vs. Navy

Victoria eleven: Edward Mohun, late Surveyor-General; Joseph Wilson, uncle of Joseph Wilson (W. & J. W.); Capt. Leighton, Government House; Mr. Bacon, assayer, Bank B. N. A.; W. J. Callingham (McCutcheon & Callingham), John Howard (Esquimalt), R. Plummer, Whittaker and Josiah Barnett. There is a historic picture of the "Victoria Cricket Club" members, 1865, or many of them, hanging in the editor's office in The Colonist building. I am afraid, of the members in this group, today there is only one left, a Mr. Richardson, who was a prominent cricketer of Victoria fifty years ago. I was conversing with Mr. Richardson a short time ago.

Married

At Victoria, August 10, 1865, Mr. Robert Horton (Hudson's Bay Co.) to Margaret, daughter of John Boyd (councillor).

Rifle Volunteers

August, 1865.

The Rifle Volunteers under Capt. D. M. Lang (Bank B. C.), with band under Mr. Haynes, attended service at the Presbyterian Church on Pandora Street. The service was conducted by the Chaplain, Rev. Thos. Sommerville. There were forty present.

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The picturization of "The Captive," the famous drama by Cecil B. De Mille and Jeannie MacPherson, in which Blanche Sweet appears for the second time as a star under the Lasky management, is a war drama of most extraordinary force. Though the plot may be said to develop mainly through the love of a young Turkish noble for a Montenegrin peasant woman, the atmosphere of conflict is sustained throughout. Indeed, the Turkish noble and the peasant girl are brought together only owing to the fact that the noble is a prisoner of war, and is assigned to the girl to do the necessary work on her little farm.

At the opening of the drama a pitched battle between the Turkish troops and the Montenegrin peasants is shown most graphically. And the climax of the entire photo-drama is reached when a marauding column of Turkish troops captures the girl's village.

Mr. House Peters, who played the leading male role with Miss Sweet in "The Warrens of Virginia," also heads her supporting company in this production.

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FAMOUS INVENTOR'S DESCENDANTS HERE

Grandson of General Shrapnel, Celebrated British Artillerist, Citizen of Victoria—Son Has Enlisted.

Shrapnel, the weapon with which all the contending armies on the continent are heavily armed, was first used in 1804 by the British Artillery, the occasion being the bombardment of the Batavian settlement of Suriman, in the Dutch East Indies. The shell, then a comparatively new invention, also played an important part in the Battle of Waterloo, the great fight as a result of which the power of Napoleon was broken. To trace the development of the idea which was first given practical expression by General Henry Shrapnel, the great English artillerist, must be of particular interest to Victorians, because his grandson, Mr. Scrope Shrapnel, A. R. C. A., a well-known artist, has been a local resident for years. His father was Major H. N. Scrope Shrapnel, a son of the man whose genius has so materially helped the Empire in many of her wars, and who, as an officer of the 3rd Dragoon Guards, also distinguished himself. Mr. Shrapnel's home is 1578 Clive Drive, and Pte. A. P. Shrapnel, 88th Fusiliers, is training for active service.

General Shrapnel not only was the designer of the shell which bears his name, and which is being mentioned constantly in dispatches from the front, but was responsible for other improvements in the British Artillery. He superintended the construction of howitzers, perfected a table of ranges to effect accurate adjustment for each range, and also directed the construction of the fortress of Gibraltar, as well as other fortifications in other parts of the world. Descended from the General Shrapnel who fought under the Duke of Monmouth, and also from Lord Scrope, the first Lord High Chamberlain under William the Conqueror, General Shrapnel came naturally by his love of military life, and the enthusiasm with which he applied his mind to the problems of the service to which he was attached was characteristic. One of his brothers, Lieut. Shrapnel, R. N., fought under Lord Nelson on the ship Victory, at the Battle of Trafalgar, and afterwards became captain of H. M. S. Orange.

Following is a list of battles in which success was attributed to the use of shrapnel:

Vimeira, Talavera, Maida, Scila Castle, Busaco, Pamplora, Table Bay, Copenhagen, Monte Video, Ghuznee Medanse, Kyber Pass, Burmese War, Teage, Bella Fermosa, Salamanca, San Sebastian, Bidassoa, Kionze, Waterloo, Siege of Sebastopol, Indian Mutiny, etc.

Making of Shrapnel

The history of shrapnel, since its invention, is given in an exceedingly interesting article published by The New York Times on Sunday, May 30. It follows, in part:

"A little more than 134 years ago, there was born near London the great English artillerist, Henry Shrapnel, the officer who, at the age of 18 years, conceived the idea of a bullet-showering projectile—the missile which, in all countries, is known by the name of shrapnel, and which remains to this day one of the most effective manKilling projectiles yet devised.

In all armies, the field artillery units today use shrapnel. One has only to read the war news that is cabled or wirelessed across the Atlantic to realize the all-important part shrapnel shells are playing in the conflict now raging. The Teutonic allies in the present war have bitterly protested against the manufacture of shrapnel in the United States for the armies of the Triple Entente nations and their Allies, their claim being that the shrapnel made in America has proved to be one of the most effective causes for the successes achieved by Great Britain, France, and their Allies.

"In all the history of warfare there are few more interesting stories than that which tells of the evolution of the terrible weapon invented by General Shrapnel in the latter part of the eighteenth century. Likewise, it is a story little known outside military circles.

"On July 9, 1779, a commission as a second lieutenant in the Royal Artillery was issued to Henry Shrapnel. Shrapnel was then 18 years of age. It was a period in the world's history when great wars, which were to culminate in the overthrow of Napoleon, were being fought, an era when an officer of the inventive genius of Shrapnel was sorely needed in practically every army in Europe.

"As soon as he was commissioned, Lieutenant Shrapnel was ordered to Gibraltar to take part in the defence of the great rock, then besieged by the Spaniards. The siege lasted intermittently from 1779 until 1783.

"From the very first day of his service Shrapnel was a student. Arriving at Gibraltar, he viewed the situation from a scientific rather than a military standpoint, and history states that the young officer was most impressed, or, rather, depressed, because of the poor effect of the British gunnery. Shrapnel noted that on one occasion when more than 2,000 24-pounders were fired from the Rock at a body of Spanish troops, that out of the entire command only twenty-six men were put out of action. Another officer who was impressed as a result of the poor effect obtained was a Captain Mercier, perhaps an ancestor of the great Belgian Cardinal of the present day.

"Mercier recommended that an experiment, namely, the firing of mortar shells, with short fuses so that they should burst in the air at close proximity to the target, be tried. On its first trial the shells did terrible execution. Shrapnel witnessed the experiment, and then and there was born the idea out of which has been perfected the dreadful bullet-stuffed projectile of today. An English artillery officer has written:

Cannon Balls Useless

"'Shrapnel realised that the effect of round shot (cannon balls), impact bombs, case or grape shot, against troops in the field was trivial. His idea was to increase the ranges of the most effective missiles, namely, case and grape shot, by producing a collective fire at long distances. Shrapnel, therefore, suggested a hollow spherical projectile filled with carbine balls and containing a small quantity of gunpowder, just sufficient to burst the shell, the explosion to be timed at a short distance previous to its execution, by which means the fire would be equally severe at all ranges.'

"In 1787 the records of the British army state that Shrapnel 'in that year described to General O'Hara, then commanding at Gibraltar, a new method of extending the use of grape or case shot to the utmost range or ordnance.'

"This memorandum, above quoted, which is believed to have been written by Shrapnel himself, is the first indication of the realization of Shrapnel's idea, to the carrying into effect of which Shrapnel gave most of his life.

"In 1802 Shrapnel's idea may be said to have taken, for the first time, definite shape. In that year there was issued at Woolwich, England, a book which enbodied 'a table of practice with Lieut. Shrapnel's new method of firing case shot,' and in that same year it is recorded that Shrapnel 'exhibited the new shells on Woolwich Common, in the presence of His Majesty the King and a great number of general officers, and that all foreigners were excluded. Among the general officers was Wellington, who was greatly impressed, but who in later years changed to a certain extent his opinion as to the effectiveness of shrapnel in war.

"In 1803, and following the royal inspection of the new shells at Woolwich, Shrapnel was ordered to Elswick, there to superintend the manufacture of 'his spherical case shot for immediate issue to the army.'

Used for First Time

"In the following year shrapnel was for the first time employed by the British. The occasion was the bombardment of the Batavian settlement of Surinam, in the Dutch East Indies. The time was the latter part of April, and the year was 1804. A Major Wilson commanded the British Artillery, and it was under his direction that the shrapnel shell was used for the first time in history. After the bombardment, Major Wilson reported that 'shrapnel had so excellent an effect as to cause the garrison of Fort Amsterdam to surrender after receiving the second shell.' Major Wilson's report continued:

"'The enemy was so astonished at these shells as not to be able to explain how they apparently suffered from musketry at so great a distance as 2,000 yards.'

"The victory of Vimeira, in the Peninsula war, was largely due to shrapnel, when at the critical moment of that battle the British Artillery opened a shrapnel fire, using their nine-pounders, and routed the French infantry. The French could not understand where the little balls came from, and the soldiers swore that 'devils were in the British shells.'

"After Vimeira little is recorded of the use of shrapnel until the battle of Waterloo, following which historic engagement Wellington said to Shrapnel, then a colonel of artillery, that the shell that bore his name had played a most important part in the battle, while General Sir George Wood, who commanded the artillery under Wellington, went even further, and in the course of a letter to Colonel Shrapnel said that had it not been for shrapnel 'it was very doubtful whether any effort could have recovered La Haye Sainte.' 'Hence,' added Sir George, 'on this simple circumstance hinged entirely the turn of battle.'

"The secret of the shell was absolutely unsolvable by the French. In 1812 Marmont, when reconnoitring before Salamanca, was struck by a spent shrapnel bullet. He turned to a member of his staff and angrily demanded to know if it had not been reported to him that the British lines were at least a mile distant.

"'Quite true,' the staff officer replied, who was as much surprised as his chief because of what had happened.

"'How, then, do you account for this musket ball?' demanded Marmount, exhibiting the little carbine bullet that struck him.

"'It cannot be accounted for; I know not from whence it came,' the puzzled staff officer replied.

"In the Crimean war, British Artillery declined to use shrapnel, despite the fact that it had turned the day at Waterloo. The French made a sparing use of it, while the Russians, who had never heard of it, naturally trusted to the effectiveness of the old-time missiles. In the Civil War, both the Union and Confederate armies used shrapnel, but it was not until 1866 that the development of the missile to its present deadly effectiveness may be said to have got definitely under way.

"It was the Prussians who started it, and they continued to improve the missile until by the time the Franco-Prussian war began it was one of the Prussian army's most effective weapons. The Prussian shrapnel did tremendous execution against the French, especially at Sedan.

"In the Russo-Japanese war both of the contending armies used shrapnel with great effect, and again in the Balkan wars of 1912, the striking successes of the Serbians, Bulgarians and Greeks were largely due to their splendid French shrapnel-firing field pieces."

Inventor of the Deadly Shrapnel Shell and His Descendents



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Burns Street, Oak Bay. 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m., Military Parade Service. 11 a.m., Matins and sermon. 7 p.m., Evensong and sermon. Rev. G. H. Andrews, rector.

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REFORMED EPISCOPAL

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Belmont

Rev. John Robson, B.A., pastor. Services at 11 and 7:30, taken by the pastor. Sabbath School at 2:30. The Epworth League will hold a social on Monday at Mr. de Bald's. Prayer meeting, Thursday at 8 p.m.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Progressive Thought Temple, corner Pandora and Blanshard Streets. Dr. T. W. Butler will speak at 11 a.m. on "The Secret of Unbounded Possibilities." 8 p.m. subject, "How to Abolish Death." Children's School at 10 a.m.

The Psychic Research Society will hold services in Foresters' Hall, Broad Street. 3 p.m., conference and message work. 8 p.m., Mrs. F. B. Nevers, of Tacoma, will officiate. Psychic messages at the close.

The Divine Psychic Society will hold their service at 1618 Douglas Street at 7:30. Subject for lecture by Mrs. Reese, "The Celestial Hierarchy of the World." Soul messages after lecture.

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GERMAN ZEPPELIN BOGEY ANALYZED

Exaggerated Perils of Aerial Raids—British Aeronautical Expert Tells Why Kaiser's Air-Fleet Is Ineffective.

As raids by Zeppelins over the coast of Great Britain seem to be rather a popular form of amusement in the German aeronautical service at present, says C. G. Grey, editor of The Aeroplane, it may be well to note a few points about which it is possible to be fairly certain in connection with these much-advertised but apparently ineffective vessels.

In the first place the German papers are always telling us about the giant Zeppelins which are being built for the destruction of London, yet apparently well-informed reports which reach England from Switzerland, as well as descriptions of the German airships which are seen frequently over the North Sea by friendly neutrals, as well as by British ships, all seem to point to the most modern Zeppelins being either the same size as those built during the last two years, or even a trifle smaller.

As the construction of these airships is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible, the Zeppelin works themselves are apparently merely assembling parts which are being made by various engineering firms all over Germany, which must mean that all these parts have been standardized, and that consequently all the new Zeppelins turned out will be of exactly the same type. It must also be remembered that the existing sheds are only just about large enough to accommodate ships of the present size, so it is extremely unlikely that anything exceptional is being produced.

Bomb Capacity

It is known perfectly well, and it can be proved by simple arithmetic, that none of the existing ships can lift more than five tons in addition to its own weight, and out of this the weight of the fuel and oil for the engines, the crew, arms and ammunition, and other necessaries for a voyage which may last something over twenty-four hours absorbs, at any rate, something over three tons, so that no one ship can possibly carry more than a couple of tons of actual bombs.

It is extremely probable that the weight carried is even less, because the experience of the past has shown that it is necessary to strengthen the construction of the ships in various places, while, as they are being built hurriedly from standardized parts, it is probable that the weights of the various parts will prove to be heavier than if each individual machine was built from start to finish in the Zeppelin Company's own works.

Allowing a little for German optimism, one may assume that ten Zeppelins were turned out during the first thirty-four weeks of the war. If that is the real output, it does very little more than balance the losses in the same period. The total number of ships available at present, therefore, cannot well be more than the original dozen or thereabouts with with which Germany started the war.

Forty Tons of Explosives

If one assumes for the moment that the whole fleet managed to reach any given spot at the same time, they could not possibly discharge more than about forty tons of bombs, or rather less than the supply of half a dozen heavy siege guns for a day, so that the total amount of damage likely to be done could not be great even in that case.

It is thus fairly safe to assume that even by Autumn the Germans are not likely to be able to concentrate more than a dozen airships for a raid at any one moment.

A good deal of discussion has been caused by the fact that such airships as have already visited this country have not been brought down either by the anti-aircraft guns or by our coast defence aeroplanes.

The reason seems to be fairly simple, namely, that it is impossible to have anti-aircraft guns in every village all over the country, or to have a whole row of them all along the coast. On the other hand, if only one airship comes over a thickly populated district it is probably very much cheaper to let the airship drop its bombs and get away than to start blazing at it with anti-aircraft guns, whose projectiles in returning to earth would be quite likely to do more damage than the bombs dropped by the airship.

As regards the aeroplanes, it would be only too possible for them to go up in the dark to look for Zeppelins and fail to find them, while the difficulty of catching an unexpected invader in broad daylight was exemplified the other day when a German aeroplane appeared at a height of fully 10,000 feet, and was out of sight again before the slower of the machines which went up after him could get anywhere near the same altitude.

Incidentally it is worth while noticing that when the British aviators go bombarding towns occupied by the Germans, they drop their bombs from anything between 1,000 feet and 150 feet, where they have some sporting chance of hitting their objective. The one or two German aeroplanes which have ventured over this country in daylight have never been seen at less than 5,000 feet, and the last one was never below 8,000 feet, so that they have never had the remotest chance of hitting anything intentionally or of doing damage of importance except by sheer luck.

NEW FRONTIERS ARE DEMANDED BY GERMANY

Request In Revival of Attempt Made Some Time Ago to Discuss Future Terms of Peace

According to the Koelnische Zeitung it was unanimously demanded at a meeting of representatives of the National Liberal party, held in Berlin recently, that in the West whatever territory was necessary for the security and strengthening of German power on land and sea should be annexed to the German Empire politically, militarily and economically. With regard to the East, it was considered that, in addition to strategically better land frontiers, new territory suitable for colonization must be acquired.

The demand was, of course, foreshadowed in the speech of the party's spokesman in the Reichstag recently, on which occasion, it will be remembered, the Conservative leader openly based his declaration in favor of territorial aggrandizement on the Chancellor's utterances of the day before. Indeed, Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg's statement that Germany must obtain all practical guarantees for her future security appears to have been universally to indicate an alteration in the "Kriegsziel" proclaimed by the Chancellor on August 4. Even the Vorwaerts, which has hitherto appealed to the latter's famous speech as being in consonance with its own view of the war as one purely of defence, has been comprehended to admit that the recent official utterance was pitched in another key. At the same time, the Socialist paper pointed out that opinions were likely to differ widely upon the subject of what constituted "practical guarantees."

In any case, the discussion bids fair to become a general one, and appears to be a revival of the general attempt made some time ago to discuss the future terms of peace. Meanwhile, the papers have reproduced an article on "Preliminary Questions Regarding Annexations," contributed to The National Zeitung by Count Posadowsky, a former secretary of state for the interior. The writer pointed out that the first vital point for Germany to secure was the payment of war indemnity, which alone could avert such a burden of taxation as would greatly reduce the standard of living of individuals and give a setback to the economic life of the country. He also considered that favorable treatment must be secured for German merchants throughout the custom zones of their opponents, especially that of the British Empire, while the acquisition of territory—the complexity of the problems involved in which he pointed out—would have a close bearing upon German foreign policy in the future.

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WANTED—A man to handle a real starter for Ford cars which will retail at $12 and pay the distributor 100 per cent. This starter is entirely new on the Pacific Coast, and the most perfect, simple, easy operating Ford starter ever invented. We give exclusive sale, the only requirement is you must be in a position to carry stock of starters. W. C. Bennett; factory representative, will be in Seattle for one week only at 907 Western Avenue.

WANTED Men and women to learn the barber trade. Wages paid while learning. Call or write. Free catalogue. Moler Barber College, 546 Main Street, Vancouver, B. C.

WANTED—Young man for general work on poultry farm; board and small wage. Apply L. M. Ross, Cowichan Station.

WE have a number of jobbing carpenters, paperhangers, electricians, as well as general laborers, looking for employment. Ring up 1637, Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

SITUATION WANTED—MALE

A BRIGHT China boy, good worker, will clean offices evenings, for small pay. Tom, phone 3469.

A LARGE list of experts in all professions and trades, as well as labor of all kinds is constantly available to those in need of such services. Telephone 1637. No charges.

CHAUFFEUR-mechanic needs position. Box 4762, Colonist.

DRAUGHTSMAN, urgently needs employment, any description. Box 270, Colonist.

FIRST-class painter, decorator and paperhanger wants day or contract work. Box 255, Colonist.

GARDEN work and house cleaning, in fact, any kind of labor, will be supplied immediately by telephoning 1637, City Employment and Relief Bureau.

SITUATION WANTED—MALE (Continued)

LABORERS, gardeners, canvassers, tree experts, cooks, waiters, carpenters, rock men, plasterers, masons, in fact any tradesman you need can be supplied by telephoning 1637, Free Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

POSITION wanted by energetic, level-headed, capable, adaptable business man; experienced bookkeeper, cashier, correspondent, keen worker; highly recommended. W., P. O. Box 1090, Victoria.

YOUNG man, deliver on own cycle, $1 a day. Box 3596, Colonist.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

AT The Ladies' Agency, 526 Sayward Block, house parlormaid, boarding house, $20; cook-general, Parksville, $20; cook-general, Victoria, $20, and others, $10 and $15; nurse housemaid, Somenos, $10; mother's help, $12.

EXPERIENCED girl for housework; used to children. 1621 Belmont.

COMPETENT lady book-keeper, must be good correspondent and financier. Apply P. O. Box 796.

HOUSEKEEPER to take charge of widower's home, easy duties, some capital required to assist in running small farm. Box 51, Scarf P. O., Vancouver Island.

THE Devereux Agency, Fort Street, requires girls and women for situations, town and country; wages, $10 to $20. Apply 647 Fort Street, 10 to 12:30.

WANTED—A housekeeper, a person with one child not objected to. Apply Box 86, Colonist.

WANTED—A lady canvasser to sell articles of daily consumption; must be energetic and reliable; salary increasing on results; start $50 (fifty dollars). Reply fully as to previous occupation and enclose references. Box 147, Colonist.

WANTED—Apprentice to dressmaking. Apply Newland, third floor, Spencer's.

WANTED—A woman to wash negligee shirts and ladies' wear at her home. Address Box 239, Colonist.

WANTED—Companion help, must be fond of children; country. Box 225, Colonist.

WANTED—Lady help or quite young girl for country, to assist with housework and baby. Box 181, Colonist.

WANTED—Man and wife to take charge of small rooming house for free housekeeping room, light and water. Apply 1211 Langley Street.

WANTED—Reliable general help; 526 Linden Avenue. Phone 4560R.

WANTED—Woman to assist with light housework and care of child; good home and small wage. Apply Mrs. Armstrong, 2331 Cranmore Road, phone 1764L3.

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE

AS lady help or housekeeper, very domesticated, good cook, good references, $20; house parlormaid, experienced, $20; trained nurse, young children, $25. Ladies' Agency, phone 2486.

AT Reliable Agency—Splendid positions for generals and mother's helps at $15 and $20; waitresses, housemaids, nursemaids, housekeepers and cooks at all prices, and every sort. Apply 1011 Government.

AT The Reliable Agency—Good help with references can be secured at short notice. Phone 3469.

A YOUNG lady wishes position as stenographer; can be highly recommended. Address Box 3485, Colonist.

CHILDREN'S nurse or companion help. Box 283, Colonist.

COOK-general would like position at once. Phone 2199L.

DAY workers, male and female, can be supplied at a moment's notice by telephoning 1637, Central Employment and Relief Bureau.

DRESSMAKING daily. Miss Wilkinson. Phone 4307R2.

DRESSMAKING daily. Phone 4516L, 2009 Cook.

DRESSMAKING—Day and evening gowns; good style and fit. Phone 3391R1, Woodlawn Crescent, Oak Bay Avenue.

DRESSMAKING parlor, 213 Stobart-Pease Block, 745 Yates Street. Miss Wilson.

ENGLISHWOMAN wishes work as working housekeeper or work by the day or hour. Box 214, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED trained maternity nurse open to engagement; terms moderate. Phone 942X2.

HOUSEKEEPER'S position to gentleman wanted by widow with little girl of six, where work is not too heavy. Very good cook. Town or country, but country preferred. Box 329, Colonist.

MATERNITY nurse, disengaged in August. Terms reasonable. Box 253, Colonist.

MATERNITY nurse, 1787 Second Street. Phone 5013L.

MRS. Summerfield, maternity. Phone 423R.

MEN and women out of employment are registered at the Central Employment and Relief Bureau free of charge. Send in your requirements at once for the service of experts in any line.

PATIENTS received in private home for maternity or convalescence. Phone 981, 2316 Lee Ave.

PUBLIC Stenographer—Temporary positions filled; work undertaken by the hour; accurate reporting; duplicating; moderate terms. Miss Unwin, Deputy Court Stenographer, phones 108 and R4403L1.

SCOTCHWOMAN, forty years of age, would like position as housekeeper; moderate wage. Apply 816 Blanshard Street.

TELEPHONE 1637, Central Employment and Relief Bureau, when in need of help in your home, store or elsewhere.

TRAINED nurse, young, bright, would give services in return for passage to England. Box 200, Colonist.

WANTED—Day work by reliable young widow; cooking, cleaning or washing. Box 111, Colonist.

WANTED — Situation as chambermaid, willing to help in kitchen; country preferred. Box 75, Colonist.

PROPERTY FOR SALE

DUNFORD'S daily snap. Fairfield, lot 50x140, facing south, original price $2,500; now $800; half cash. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

FOR Sale—Equity in corner Haultain and Shakespeare, $300 cash; purchaser assume balance, due June 17 last, $401.25. Owner, W. R. Chittick, Baker, Oregon.

FOR Sale — Small chicken ranch, one acre, good house, barn, chicken yards fenced chicken tight; good well; near interurban. Small cash payment. By owner, 2093 Chaucer.

ACREAGE FOR SALE

RANCH snap, close to Langford Station, 2½ acres, new bungalow, city water, splendid chicken ranch; sold for $2,500, now $1,500, on your own terms. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

TO Rent—Four acres, house, barn, stables, on main road, near Victoria, $12.50. 202 Jones Block.

WANTED—Lowest cash price on one, two or three acres, close in, suitable for fruit, etc. Price must be cut to bone. Property with small new house and water connection preferred. Box 313, Colonist.

ACREAGE WANTED

WANTED—Information regarding good farm or unimproved land for sale. R. G. List, Minneapolis, Minn.

WANTED—Small farm of 5 to 10 acres with buildings, complete, suitable for fruit, poultry or mixed farming; will pay part cash; must be near railway and be reasonable in price; no fancy prices will be noticed. Box 5,000, Colonist.

HOUSES FOR SALE

A FIVE-room modern cottage for sale, within half-mile circle, completely furnished, newly decorated throughout, nice garden, good stable, chicken houses. A bargain at $2,750. Owner, phone 5256L, or address Box 4, Colonist.

A REAL cosy, fully modern 4-roomed bungalow, in best part of Fairfield district, easy walking distance to town. For sale at a bargain; terms. 1333 Carnsew Street, off Moss.

A SNAP—House containing six rooms and extra large barn, together with two large sized lots on Quadra Street; fifteen minutes from City Hall. What offers? No agents need apply. Phone 4846L.

FOR Sale—One acre, modern bungalow, chicken houses, fruit trees, city water; very cheap until August 1. Apply Mrs. Hockley, Langford Station.

FOR Sale—Six-room bungalow, Monterey Avenue, fine condition. Address 4898, Colonist.

SIX-room fully modern house, have paid $2,400, owe $2,400; will give house to responsible party. Box 287, Colonist.

FARMS AND GARDENS

WANTED to rent, with option of purchase, about ten acres, cleared, with small house preferred, or would take charge of farm for owner. Box 247, Colonist.

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL Change Bell-Ringers in Victoria or district kindly communicate with N. J. Hopkins, 1362 Pandora Ave. Phone 1336L.

CADBORO Bay—Foot of stairway; excellent sea bathing, dressing accommodation, swimming taught by an expert; bathing costumes, boats and canoes for hire.

FOR hire, 5-passenger Ford, with driver, by the hour, day or week, rates reasonable. Phone 3938Y.

FREE Caps—"Jamieson's Java & Mocha Coffe is good Cofee." There is something wrong with this advertisement. Bring it corrected to our office and get one of our fine Red Caps. W. A. Jameson Coffee Co., 754 Broughton Street.

GORDON Head stage, twice daily. Chas. Saunders, phone 3587.

HOUSEKEEPERS, why persist in doing things the old way? Use the Little Giant Water Heater, saves time and labor, cleanliness guaranteed, boils quart of water in three minutes. 1318 Government.

NOTICE—The agency for the Little Giant Water Heater has removed to 1318 Government St.

SWITCHES made up, $1.50, three; stems called for; phone 3783; 403 Bay; Mrs. Kettleman.

TO Doctors — Practice in growing dry belt town, for immediate disposal; established four years; cash receipts last year nearly $3,600. Nominal premium. Apply Box 3232, Colonist.

THE fame of the Michelin auto tires and tubes have long since passed the experimental stage, and are too well known and established to need comment. Peters & Co., agents for Victoria, 1313 Blanshard Street; phone 3984.

TO enjoy a day's outing take auto to Shawnigan, over the beautiful Malahat Drive, and a launch ride around the Lake. For particulars apply Wm. B. Hall, H. Murray's Cigar Store, 638 View Street, phone 2941.

TO Willows Beach; fare 5c. Auto will leave Merchants' Bank, corner of Yates and Douglas Streets, 1 p. m., and every half hour following. Boating, bathing; ladies' and gents' costumes for hire. Refreshments, etc. Jack Allen, Proprietor.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ALL black soil and manure delivered. Phone 1864.

AMATEUR photographers' perfect time table for exposures; easily understood by boys and girls; 25c each. P. O. Box 820, or 24 Winch Building, City.

A REDUCTION in prices. Low rates on circular letters or post cards that cannot be detected from typewriting. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or post cards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping, addressing and supplying names. We can reach every home worth reaching. Note.—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C. Phone 1915.

BEST prices paid for old clothing, shoes, etc., 541 Johnson; phone 4433L. Will call at any address.

BICYCLE, Imperial Humber, good condition, $15 cash; can be seen after 6 p. m. at 426 Arnold Ave.

BOOKS for Sale—"Makers of Canada," set of eighteen volumes, bound calf, brand new, cost $127; Harvard Classics, set of forty-eight volumes, bound red cloth, cost $65; "Masterpieces of Eloquence," set of twenty-four volumes, cost $42; all brand new. What offers? Box 137, Colonist.

CABIN cruiser, forty foot, for sale or trade, $1,500. Phone 4285R.

CAMP stoves, basement stoves. Big stock; low prices. Eastern Stove, 848 Fort.

COLUMBIA graphophone and records, cheap. Box 175, Colonist.

DINING-ROOM suite, upholstered leather Morris chair, rockers, baby buggy, cot, chair, bath, oilcloth, rugs, lounges, glassware, chinaware, dresser and stand, range; 3143 Cedar Hill Road.

FARMERS and other folks will do well to look us up for bargains in hardware odds and ends, varnish, heavy duty wheelbarrows, and lots of other things at cost. The Colbert Plumbing and Heating Co., Ltd., 755 Broughton St., just below new theatre.

FOR sale, cheap, up-to-date buffet. Suite 5, The Linden Apartments, phone 1866R, mornings.

FOR Sale—Furniture in excellent condition, also roller top desk. Apply 1216 Fort Street, between 10 and 3.

FOR Sale—Furniture in good condition; fine range and heater. Apply 1327 Fisgard Street.

FOR Sale—Gasoline launch, sixteen feet, three and a half horse power. Apply A. Lofts, 1203 Langley Street, City.

FOR Sale—New doors and siding at half price. 620 Broughton Street.

FOR Sale—Cigar stand. Apply 1333 Government St.

FOR Sale—Nearly new No. 5 Oliver typewriter, $40; also slightly used No. 10 Remington, $50. Cash or reasonable terms. Phone 3723R2.

FOR Sale—One pair of fancy ice skates and boots (soldier). Apply 1201 Clover Avenue, corner Moss.

FOR Sale—One Clark Jewel gas range with hot water heater attached, four burner, necessary fittings, cost $50; will sell for $10; also one portable gas oven, $1. 1116 Leonard Street.

FOR $30.25 we can reach 1,000 of Victoria's best homes with a personal letter. Price includes postage, printed letterhead, folding, enclosing, addressing, etc. Newton Adv. Agency, Winch Bldg., City.

FOR $4.00 we will supply 500 envelopes addressed to the best Victoria homes, price includes good quality envelopes, 1,000 for $7.50. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Building, City.

FOR Sale—Seven horse power heavy work Stickney gasoline engine; not run a week. Saw mill, Happy Valley.

FOR Sale—Small kitchen range, cost $30; sell $10. Also small English piano, $70. Mrs. Hockley, Langford Station.

FOR Sale—Twenty-one foot launch, five horse power engine, in first-class shape, and boathouse, in good location, cheap. Apply Point Ellice Boat House; phone 3841.

FOR Sale—Typewriter; in excellent condition. Box 196, Colonist.

FURS—Man's dogskin overcoat and Persian lamb cap and collar, also sheepskin gauntlets. 2670 Shelbourne St.

GOOD sewing machine with attachments, for sale, very reasonable. Phone 4127L, Sunday, or after 7 any evening.

HELP the unemployed by buying wood from the Salvation Army Industrial, back of the City Hall; cordwood, $4.50, delivered; 12 and 16-inch blocks, delivered, $5.50; split, $6 delivered; packing in extra, 40c per cord; half cords sold. Phone 5040.

IF you are in urgent need of cash and must sacrifice your piano, let our expert examine it. If accepted, we charge only 5 per cent commission; auctioneers charge 10 per cent. Buyers prefer buying used pianos through us, as we are responsible for every piano sold, and give a written guarantee to return all money should they be dissatisfied with their bargain within two years. Your piano will be placed on our floors with others, and if it is the biggest bargain will be sold in twenty-four hours. Price must be rock bottom and piano first class. Victoria Piano Company, corner Government and Yates.

IF you have a little cash, buy a used piano now; every dollar has the buying power of five. We realize that parties who are hard pressed will sacrifice their pianos to a greater extent than we or any other dealer possibly can. Therefore, we are making a specialty of locating persons who have good pianos for sale. We only accept pianos passed by our expert, and every one is a snap. Call and make a cash offer on the one you like best. Victoria Piano Company, corner Government and Yates.

LADY'S bicycle, good order (Singer), $12. Also four-hole cook stove, $5. Trade either for chickens or rabbits. Box 323, Colonist.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $1 down and $1 per week. 2001 Government St.

MILL wood $3 cord. Phone 4129R.

MULTIGRAPH machine in perfect condition; reason for selling, we have four machines; will take $200 cash or $225 on terms of $100 cash and $25 monthly. Apply 24 Winch Building.

PUNCH'S advice to those about to marry: Don't!—until you have visited the Magnet Auction Rooms and secured the wonderful furniture bargains. 914 Fort, between Quadra and Vancouver.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

SEVENTEEN galvanized corrugated sheets half price. Double harness, $12. Box 320, Colonist.

SUITABLE for the best homes. We have used pianos, could not be told from new, that will grace any Victoria home, for $100 to $[illegible]. Please call and see them. Victoria Piano Company, corner Yates and Government.

TAILORED suit (grey), nearly new, length 37, bust 3[illegible], $5. Green homespun coat, same measure, $3. Phone 3169.

TENT for sale; large, new, half price. Williams, 7 Obed Avenue, Tillicum.

THESE days, when lots of people must sacrifice, it is unnecessary to purchase a new piano. We have pianos left for sale that have been used for only a few months, absolutely unscratched, worth $600, for $100 to $300. We show you the inside. Victoria Piano Company, corner Yates and Government.

UPRIGHT piano in good condition, small size; price on terms, only $100. Gideon Hicks Piano Co., opposite post office.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

ANTIQUE jewelry, old gold and silver, or damaged jewelry; 572 Johnson. Phone 1741. Will call at any address.

ATTENTION—Sell your discarded clothes direct to dealer. Phone 47[illegible]R, 1324 Government St.

CASH paid for slightly worn ladies' and gent's clothing, shoes and old gold. M. Stern, 609 Yates St., phone 4810.

LEATHER traveling bag, must be in good condition and be not less than 20 inches long; also leather trunk. P. O. Box 2, Cobble Hill.

MEADE bicycle, second-hand, liberal offer for good machine. Box 326, Colonist.

MILK wanted, ten gallons daily; fresh. Box 274, Colonist.

MILK wanted, 15 gallons, well cooled. Box 4978, Colonist.

WANTED—A canoe, must be in good order. Phone 1469.

WANTED—Five or 6 h.p. gasoline fishing launch, about 35 feet; must be cheap and in A1 condition. Box 295, Colonist.

WANTED—For cash, Evinrude engine, 1915 model, second hand. Box 4346, Colonist.

WANTED—Gent's bicycle, good condition, cheap. Box 4510, Colonist.

WANTED, Ideas—Write for list of inventions wanted; $1,000,000 in prizes offered for inventions; our four books sent free; patents secured or fee returned. Victor J. Evans & Co., 184 Ninth, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—Second-hand soil pipe and half-inch pipe. Box 273, Colonist.

WANTED—Second-hand Underwood typewriter with 18 inch carriage; must be in good condition. Apply P. O. Box 1512, stating price.

WANTED To Purchase—Launch, twenty to twenty-five feet long, four cycle engine; must be in good shape and cheap. P. O. Box 1504.

WANTED to purchase, parrot cage, 18 inches across base, about 24 inches high; must be cheap for cash. Phone 2590.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

A LOT on Aberdeen Street to rent, $2 per month. Phone 2590.

GOOD business corner, formerly occupied by the Bank of Vancouver, at Government and Cormorant Streets; will give lease for one year at $45 per month. Apply Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Building, City.

SADDLE horse (standard bred) for rent $15 per month, which includes stable, saddle and bridle, but not feed. Apply 24 Winch Building, or 460 Chester Street, off Fairfield. Phone 1915.

TO Rent—4½ acres, Quadra Street, 2¾-mile circle, young apple trees, with lawn and shed; would make good chicken and garden proposition. Apply Box 325, Colonist.

TO Rent—Lot near waterfront, Esquimalt; ideal spot for anyone wishing to put house-tent on same. Phone 3598.

WANTED TO RENT—MISCEL.

WANTED—Piano, will pay small rent for the use; will buy if price is right; no children. Box 204, Colonist.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms and cabins, $5 month up; free kitchen. 1036 Hillside.

FRONT suite furnished housekeeping rooms; two blocks from post office. 734 Humboldt Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished, every convenience. Phone 3964L. Address 611 Superior.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $1.50 per week. 920 Fort Street.

LARGE, furnished housekeeping room; 1037 Burdett Avenue.

LARGE furnished sitting-room and kitchen, gas, phone. 834 Courtney St.

THREE housekeeping rooms to let; close to Oak Bay Junction and also Willows; 1515 Belcher Avenue.

TO Let—Close Government Buildings, nicely furnished housekeeping room, $2. 521 Simcoe Street.

TO Let—Two unfurnished rooms with conveniences, $7. 1017 Burdett.

FURNISHED ROOMS

A ROOM in lady's private home, equal to a house for accommodation, for low rent. 2365 McNeil Avenue, Oak Bay.

COMFORTABLE furnished rooms, modern, phone, convenient to Willows. 2444 Florence Street.

ROOMS, 25c and 35c per night; $2 a week; opposite Machinery Depot, 402 Bay.

SUITE of front rooms, private family, good garden, both near sea and Beacon Hill Park. Phone 1212R.

SUNNY front room, furnished, with use of dining-room and kitchen. 1329 Stanley Avenue, phone L2042.

505 GOVERNMENT Street, best part of city; telephone, block from Parliament Buildings.

ROOM AND BOARD

ACCOMMODATION for two married couples in private house, Beacon Hill Park. Phone 1996L.

AT 813 Cook Street, large, comfortable, airy rooms with board; permanent or transient; liberal home table board. Phone 1068.

COMFORTABLE room and board, reasonable, close in, 616 Vancouver St., phone 3820X.

COMFORTABLE rooms with board, reasonable; near Government Buildings; 152 Menzies; phone 5081L.

GORDON Head, near sea, board-residence, or rooms, reasonable; stage passes door. Box 250, Colonist.

LADY would like one or two others, business girls or otherwise, to board or share expenses in suite, close in; very reasonable terms. Phone 3239L.

LADY has accommodation for four ladies, $23 per month each; Beacon Hill. Phone 1996L.

NICE comfortable home for elderly gentleman or lady. 918 Cook St., phone 2935L.

ROOM and board, cheap rates. 1621 Quadra, phone 9261.

ROOM and board at 374 Cook Street, comfortable room with or without board, on car line, near sea and park; moderate.

ROOM and board, private family, home privileges, one block from Oak Bay car line. 2034 Chaucer Street, off Foul Bay Road.

THE Bon Accord, 845 Princess Avenue, board-residence, very moderate. Phone 2867L.

705 MENZIES Street—A most comfortable home with board, good table; close to carline, sea and the city; $5.50 per week; mending done free.

502 DALLAS Road—Room and board, private family. Phone 3581L.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS

ALL beautifully clean furnished suites, Normandie Apartments, phone 1799L.

AT Hampton Court, unfurnished suites, consisting of 5, 4 and 3 rooms, delightfully situated, opposite Beacon Hill Park, two minutes' walk from sandy beach and a block from car line. Phone 903. Also furnished suites.

AILSA Mansions, Cook and Collinson Streets, suites for rent, moderate rates. Apply Janitor, Suite 2, or phone 2951.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS (Continued)

A SMALL suite, furnished or unfurnished, at "The Broadway," 442 Superior St.

AT Mount Edwards, Vancouver Street, furnished and unfurnished suites, large rooms, car fares saved, rents reduced; close in.

AT Savoy Mansions—Suites furnished and unfurnished; rents reduced to suit present conditions. Phone 4022R.

COMFORTABLE, homelike, furnished suite in Bellevue Court, at the Oak Bay Beach, $30; best service. J. O. Dunford, Manager. Phones 4542 and 3657R1.

FAIRFIELD — Five-roomed flat to let. Apply 16 Bushby Street.

FURNISHED apartments, Beacon Hill Park; modern, reasonable. Phone R2866.

GLENGARRY, 816 Cook Street, up-to-date. Phones 5198 or 5327L.

MELLOR Apartments, 821 Broughton Street, adjoining Royal Victoria Theatre; to let, modern apartments (unfurnished), hot water and hot water heating. Apply Mellor Bros., Ltd., 819 Broughton Street.

MOUNT Douglas Apartments, Fort and Pandora streets, convenient to High School. Single or double suites, furnished or unfurnished. P. R. Brown, agent, or Suite 8, phone 3426R.

MOUNT View apartments, Joseph and Bushby, 3-room suites, furnished, $15; unfurnished $12. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government Street.

MORRISON Mansions—Corner Hilda and Chester, Fairfield, good three-room and bath suite, furnished or unfurnished.

ONE furnished apartment, $20, one unfurnished; key at Apt. 6, 103 Menzies. Phone 125.

TWO and 3-room apartments, very cheap, at Owen Apartments, 421 Vancouver Street.

TO Rent—Suites, newly furnished apartments, bath, electric light, Gladstone Avenue, $13 up. Phone 5462 from 9 to 3 or after 7.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

A MODERN house on Simcoe Street, seven rooms. Phone 2776L.

A VOLUNTEER'S wife wishes to let part of a 12-room house, unfurnished, in Esquimalt district, exceptional surroundings, low, inclusive rent. Phone 1282X1. Box 281, Colonist.

FAIRFIELD—Oxford Street bungalow, six rooms, modern in every respect. Phone R1140.

FIVE-room cottage, 931 Johnson Street. Apply 1621 Fernwood Avenue, phone 4268R.

FOR Rent—House, six rooms, close in. Apply 403 Young Street.

HALF-acre land with comfortable 4-room house, good garden, poultry house, close to Normal and University Schools, $9. Box 303, Colonist.

LADY to share cottage, near water; husband gone to England. Mrs. Brealey, 445 Admiral's Road, Esquimalt.

ROCKLAND Avenue, particularly desirable modern home, 8 rooms, grounds, garage, etc.; possession August 10. Heisterman & Forman Co., 1210 Broad.

SIX-room house James Bay; reasonable rent good tenant. Apply 20 Lewis St.

THREE-room shack to rent, furnished or unfurnished; low rent. Box 246, Colonist.

THREE-room house tent for sale, 14x14, Esquimalt district. Phone 258R1.

TO Lease or Sell—Beautiful country home on one of the most fashionable lakes on Vancouver Island, 16½ acres of good land, new 8-room house with every modern convenience; garage, shack and chicken houses, etc.; good water laid on; phone and R. M. delivery to the gate three times a week; rent $30 per month, or will sell on easy terms. Also 18½ acres of good land about one mile out of Duncan for sale or exchange for Victoria house. Apply owner, P. O. Box 497, Duncan.

TO Let—House, eight rooms, all modern conveniences, nice large rooms; No. 1312 Stanley Avenue, close to Fort Street car line; $18 per month. Apply L. U. Conyers & Company, 650 View Street.

TO Let—Eight-room modern house, every convenience, cheap. 2743 Quadra St. Phone 3798X.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

A FOUR or 5-room house with all modern conveniences, near Central Park preferred; rent must be reasonable. Address Box 244, Colonist.

COUPLE, no children, want three-roomed cottage, lightly furnished; own crockery, linen, cutlery and cooking utensils; close in; must be cheap. Box 194, Colonist.

SMALL house with some land, near city; low rent; will improve property. Box 181, Colonist.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

A BEAUTIFUL, new, furnished, seven-roomed house, piano, close in, low rent. Phone 4895L.

A NEW 6-room house, well furnished, piano, gas, phone, etc.; reasonable rent. 1318 Fisgard Street.

A SEVEN-room furnished house, $25 a month. Apply 89 Moss Street.

A THREE-room house, partially furnished and water, $8. F. Cherry, 522 Joffre Street, Esquimalt.

BEAUTIFULLY situated six-roomed bungalow, close to hotel and overlooking Qualicum golf links and beach; fully furnished, hot and cold water, electric light; for rent August. Apply Qualicum Hotel, Qualicum Beach.

BUNGALOW, close Willows, 5 rooms, piano. Phone 3587.

FIVE-room bungalow, nicely furnished, piano, overlooking Foul Bay beach; August. Address 172 Robertson Street, phone 2852.

FURNISHED houses to rent. We have a large list of furnished houses. Green & Burdick Brothers, Ltd.; phones 4169 and 4170.

FURNISHED six-room bungalow, 1310 Topaz Ave. 1228 Montrose Ave., phone 3236L.

HALF corner house, furnished, 4 rooms, bathroom, ½-mile circle, suit two couples. 1136 Mason, above Cook, off Pandora.

LARGE modern furnished house, with garage and boat house, large grounds and good bathing beach; rent $75 month. Apply F. F. Higgs, Albert Head P. O., or phone 1593R2.

MODERN 4-room cosy furnished cottage, adults, reduced rent to desirable tenant, near three carlines, Haultain Street jitney almost to door; sanitary stable. Phone 5084L.

SEASIDE home free, Victoria Marine Drive, fishing, boating, bathing, firewood in abundance, nine rooms, $35 month, party paying one year in advance receives gift $500 in furniture. 1739 Hollywood Crescent. Life here profitable, interesting and healthy.

SIX rooms, nicely furnished, telephone, garden and garage; 1756 Coronation Avenue; per month, $35, or unfurnished, at $25. Apply 28 Winch Building.

THE Holidays — Lexington Preparatory School House and grounds, 1409 Beach Drive, Vancouver, for rent, furnished, during July and August; bathing, boating, tennis. Write at once.

TO Let—Gorge waterfront, 5-room house, furnished or unfurnished, three acres, barns, chicken house, etc. P. O. Box 1064, city.

TO Rent—Beautifully furnished house for 1 or 2 years, 1¾ miles from Duncan, on lovely lake, in centre of residential district, 10-room house, electric light, central heating, abundant water, garage, barn, stables, shack, good orchard, tennis court, about 15 acres cleared and partly cultivated; rent $40 month, on lease; owner going to England. P. O. Box 482, Duncan.

WATERFRONT, magnificent position, private beach, sheltered and close in; 7 rooms, low rent. Box 226, Colonist.

WANT—FURNISHED HOUSES

RELIABLE tenant wants furnished Summer cottage on waterfront, near city, for August; must be good beach. Apply Box 87, Colonist.

WANTED—Five-room house, furnished, Fairfield district. Apply Box 277, Colonist.

WANTED—Furnished cottage, Foul Bay, for one month. Apply Box 317, Colonist.

WANTED—Well furnished house, about the 1st of August, not less than five bedrooms. Apply 1009 Terrace Avenue, or phone 3416.

WANTED—Well furnished modern bungalow, six or seven rooms, gas, silver and linen, close in, careful tenant, reasonable rent, no children; August 1. Box 286, Colonist.

WANTED — Well furnished house, complete, of six or seven rooms; must be close in; garden; most careful tenants; references. Box 307, Colonist.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

AIREDALE terriers, four dog pups, three months, purest blood, imported prize-winning stock, fit for work or show, $10 up. Colin Jackson, Chilton Farm, Sandwick, near Courtenay, Vancouver Island.

ALL first-class layers; White Leghorn and White Wyandotte breeders for sale; must be sold to make room for young stock. Write your requirements now. Catalogue on application. L. F. Solly, Lakeview Poultry Farm, Westholme, B. C.

BUGGIES, wagons, harness and horses for sale, cheap; wagons repaired reasonably. 1323 Carnsew St., off Moss. Phone 1117L.

FOR Sale—Good horse and democrat; real snap; $85 complete. Holmes, Strawberry Vale.

FOR Sale—Good heavy team, wagon and harness, cheap; take cow in part payment. Box 117, Colonist.

FOR Sale—One cow, fresh in. Apply E. Exton, Glanford Avenue.

FOR Sale—S. C. R. I. Red hens, excellent layers; good strain. Mrs. Ricardo, Mount Tolmie. Phone 395Y2.

FOR Sale—Two beautiful Jersey family cows, 3½ and 4 years old, fresh in; also 1 year old Jersey bull and one Holstein cow, due this month. Thomas Boyles, Marigold Road, Garden City. Phone Colquitz, 71L.

FOR Sale—Two four inch wagons; also two teams heavy work horses. Apply H. Martin, Macaulay Point.

GRAZING for horses and cattle at Ardmore, with running water. Apply on property, or see Western Lands Limited, 125 Fort Street.

GREAT Dane dog, black, white chest, good disposition, exchange for young English bull pup, or sell for $25. Phone 3694Y.

I AM open to buy several milch goats, either dry or in milk; send particulars to Box 192, Colonist.

LANGSHAN eggs, Collier strain, $1.50. Humphrey's, end Selkirk Ave.

LIME—Agricultural $3.00 ton; builders, $1.20 bbl. Malet & Co., 403 Central. Phone 3285.

MARCH and April hatched pullets for sale, laying strain. Hincks, Langford Station.

ONE or more common or milk goats; state price, etc. G. J. Beck, Centre Island, c/o SS. Tees, Alberni.

SITTINGS from S. C. White Leghorns (noted New Zealand birds); first pen, $2; second pen, $1.50. A. Lang, Rangiura Poultry Ranch, Carey Road.

STOCK — Kildare Rabbitries. Route 4, Victoria.

WANTED—Cow, three to three and a half gallons; fresh or nearly. P. Lemon, Keatings P. O.; phone R12.

WANT TO EXCHANGE

EXCHANGE—Four lots, 50x110 each, inside city limits, cost $4,400; clear title. H. D. Miller & Co., Ltd., 1003 Douglas, phone 664.

EXCHANGE—Langford, close to station, three acres, cleared, city water, trade for two city lots. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

EXCHANGE—Three acres, fine building site, two mile circle, near Quadra North. Box 210, Colonist.

EXCHANGE 10 acres on the Arrow Lakes, 16 miles south of Nakusp, for 5 to 10 acres, improved, near Victoria. Will assume to a certain amount. Owner, 838 Sumas Street.

FOUR-ROOMED modern cottage, bath and pantry, on large corner lot; cheap, or would exchange. W. Palmer, c/o J. Daniel, R. M. D. No. 4.

WE specialize in exchanging all classes of property; 600 trades to choose from. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government Street.

$187 CREDIT, good on second-hand or new player piano, trade for cow, live stock, poultry. Box 283, Colonist.

AUTOMOBILES

A FIVE or 7-passenger car wanted, in good condition. Box 269, Colonist.

AUTOS for Sale—Cadillac, 1912, fine order, $625; great snap. Phones 4345 or 5011L.

AUTOMOBILES for Sale—1911 Cadillac, 1912 Ford, 1914 Ford, 1913 Ford, 1911 Buick ($150), 1912 Overland. Cameron, 521 Superior, behind Parliament Bldgs.

BEST buy in the city for large car, Winton Six, in fine running order, $850. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates St.

CHALMERS '36,' 1913, electric lights, starter, all new tires, newly painted. Price $615. Wood Motor Co., Ltd., phone 4900, 1019 Rockland Ave.

EVERITT roadster, fine shape, $450; snap. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates St.

FORD axles installed at Cameron's, 521 Superior St.

FORD car in good condition with Bosch magneto. Box 311, Colonist.

FORD in first-class running order; just overhauled; cheap, $225, on very easy terms. Box 321, Colonist.

FORD runabout, 1912, for sale by owner; perfect condition; a bargain; cheap; needs larger car; would exchange. Box 191, Colonist.

FOR Sale, 1912 Ford, fully equipped. Phone 5346Y.

FOR Sale—Eight horse power, second-hand, two passenger Rover; tires good as new; price, $150. Apply Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, City.

FOR Sale—One second-hand 1912, thirty-eight horsepower Silent Knight Russell; seven passenger body, complete with electric lights. This car is in perfect order and as good as new. Original cost, $5,200; will accept, for quick sale, $1,250. Apply Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, City.

FOR Sale, 1912 Russel, twenty-two horse power; Silent Knight engine, five passenger, in good order; price, $750. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, City.

FOR Sale, 1912 Speedwell, forty-five horse power, four passenger, electric lights; engine, tires and running gear in good order; cost, when new, $4,200; selling price, for quick sale, $750. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street.

FOR Sale, 1912, five passenger Overland, in good running order; tires in first-class shape; car just repainted; price, $475. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, City.

FOR Sale, 1913 Overland, five passenger, forty-five horse power; electric lights and starter; cost, when new, $2,250; price, for quick sale, $650. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street.

INDIAN motor-cycle, 1913 model, fitted with Klaxon horn, Presto tank, back seat, in the best of condition; a snap for $150 cash. Box H., Colonist.

MOTOR cycle in first-class running order, must sell, $45 cash. Apply 1621 Blanshard Avenue.

STUDEBAKER, 1913, electric lights, good tires, all round, $400. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates St.

WANT to buy a light car; will pay cash; must be in good running order and be cheap. Box 4640, Colonist.

WE have sold out of light second-hand cars and need more, only 5 per cent charged; no storage. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates Street.

1912 RUSSELL Knight engine, good tires, perfect order, quick buy, $450. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates Street.

1913 BUICK, $550, all good tires. E. J. Cameron, 1012 Yates St.

LOST AND FOUND

BETWEEN C. P. R. wharf and Oak Bay Avenue, parcel containing boy's wash suit and cap. Finder kindly notify 212 Pemberton Block, or phone 5133R.

LOST—Brown and white pointer dog, "Jack," belonging to member of 48th Battalion. Phone 2499.

LOST—Dark brown water spaniel puppy, female, about 4 months old; last seen with lady on Mears Street, Friday. Return 1160 Yates. Reward. Retaining same will be prosecuted.

LOST—Fox terrier puppy, five months; black head, body white; 913 Burdett Avenue. Reward.

LOST—Lady's brooch, an old keepsake, has four silver coins attached, with Chinese writing on back of each and Queen's head in centre. Finder please return to Box 93, Colonist. Reward.

LOST—Gold pearl crescent brooch between View and Queens Ave., or Hillside jitney. Reward. Return to Vernon Cafe, Douglas Street.

LOST—Ten lambs and five ewes with black faces, tar mark on loin; pay expenses. Locke & Sons, Esquimalt.

STRAYED to Granville dairy, Strawberry Vale, one bay gelding and sorrel mare; owner can have the same by paying expenses.

BUSINESS CHANCES

AT The Ladies' Agency, all kinds of businesses transferred, partnerships arranged; call for particulars of rooming and boarding houses, tea and luncheon rooms, nursing and medical homes, private schools, grocery and confectionery stores, apartment blocks, etc.; investments from $150 to $4,000 or $5,000; furnished houses, flats and suites rented, rooms and boarding houses recommended. 526 Sayward Bldg., phone 2486, and at the Leigh-Spencer Block, 553 Granville Street, Vancouver, B. C.

FOR Sale—A good going candy and tobacco store; owner leaving town. Snap for quick sale. Apply 929 Pembroke Street.

FOR Sale—First-class cafe, doing good business, in live town, best location, cheap rent, owner going away; bargain. W. Sinnett, Port Angeles, Wash.

FOR Sale—Small grocery as going concern; will invoice. Box 306, Colonist.

MULTIGRAPH machine in perfect condition, reason for selling, we have four machines; will take $200 cash or $225 on terms of $100 cash and $25 monthly. Apply 24 Winch Building.

SPECIAL low rates on circular letters or postcards that bring the business and cannot be detected from typewriting. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or postcards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping and sealing, addressing and supplying names. Letters $30.50 per 1,000; post cards, $21.50 per 1,000. For $121 we can reach every home worth reaching. Note—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C., phone 1915.

PERSONAL

GATLIN Institute of B. C., removed to 510 Trutch Street. Treatment for alcoholism and drug addiction, administered in privacy of your own home, under competent physician, and graduate nurse; consultation and particulars free. Phone 5466.

IF party who found 5-month-old fox terrier puppy, strayed on 7th inst., will phone 4211R they will be liberally rewarded.

WANTED—Party to take 6-room furnished house and give board and room to gentleman; Fairfield district; no children. Address Box 4427, Colonist.

TEACHERS WANTED

REQUIRED—For Sidney, superior school teacher, male, salary, $100 per month. Applications received up to July 22. W. H. Dawes, secretary, Sidney, B. C.

TEACHER wanted for North Saanich school, salary $75. Apply, stating qualification and former experience to A. McDonald, secretary, R. M. D., Sidney, B. C.

MONEY TO LOAN

LOANS negotiated on revenue producing property. L. W. Bick, B. C. Permanent Building.

TO LEASE

TO Lease—Unfurnished, eight rooms, one acre fruit, tennis, 1¾-mile circle; car; low rent. Apply Holms, 25 Marlboro Street.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS wanted, sound proposition, good money-maker. Call between 10 and 12 a. m., 1318 Government.

AGENTS—"Little Gem" automatic gas lighters meet instantaneous sale; newest agents' article; over 150 per cent profit; get busy now; postal brings valuable proposition. Automatic Gas Appliance Co. (Inc.), 1 Union Square, New York.

AUTOMOBILE tire agents wanted; only those who can pay for their tires f.o.b. New York; no bonding; start small, grow big. Ohio Rubber Co., Metropolitan Life Insurance Building, New York.

AUTOMOBILES equipped with new made-in-Canada lessgass device, give three to five additional miles per gallon; enables Fords and all other cars to creep along at three miles an hour on high gear; installed by anyone in ten minutes; outlasts any gasoline engine and requires no adjusting; sells for $3 on positive money-back guarantee; agents profit nearly 200 per cent; exclusive territory given, enabling employment of sub agents; energetic man can make $100 weekly; first time this device offered in Canada; your territory has never been worked. Write at once for special offer. North American Manufacturing Co., 972 Somerset Building, Winnipeg, Man.

$5.00—PRIVATE Christmas greeting card sample book, free; solicitors make $5 to $10 a day. Bradley-Garretson, Brantford, Ontario.

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Phone 3999—634 View St.—P. O. Box 906

TIMBER Lands—Over 80,000,000,000 feet in British Columbia, Oregon and Washington.

PULP propositions, with water power.

MINES — Iron, Chrome Iron, Galena Graphite, Copper, Etc.

FARMS—Northwest and British Columbia, from $5 per acre.

COAL mines developed.

Certificate No. 305
BRITISH COLUMBIA RAILWAY ACT
Chapter 194, R. S. B. C., 1911

Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Patricia Bay Branch

In the matter of the application of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company, hereinafter called the applicant, for leave to carry Seymour Avenue over the applicant's line of railway, called the Patricia Bay branch, at Station 791-75, Mile 0.2, in the Municipality of Saanich, said application having been accompanied by the required design of the structure in accordance with Subsection (2), section 174, British Columbia Railway Act.

I DO HEREBY, in virtue of the authority vested in me under the provisions of Subsection (2), Section 159, and of Subsection (3), Section 174, British Columbia Railway Act, and upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer of Railways, British Columbia, grant the said applicant this certificate of approval of the said application and of the design submitted on the understanding that the width of the overhead crossing shall be twenty (20) feet in the clear, but if at any future time it shall be deemed necessary to increase the said width to twenty-four (24) feet, an application setting forth the reasons for such an increase shall be made to me under the provisions of Subsections (1), (2) and (3), Section 160 of the said Railway Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

THOMAS TAYLOR
Minister of Railways

TENDERS WANTED

Wanted, tenders for whole or any portion of the fixtures and stock-in-trade, consisting of Unset Stones, Jewelry, Watches, Watch Repair Material, etc., of a first-class Jewelry Store. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Particulars from.

VINCENT C. MARTIN,
Assignee, Redfern & Son.
P. O. Box 1203, or 1107 Langley Street,
Victoria, B. C.

JOHN SIDNEY VAN ALLEN, DECEASED

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

Pursuant to the "Trustee Act," Chapter 232, R. S. B. C., 1911

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Sidney Van Allen, late of the District of Renfrew, in the Province of British Columbia, who died on or after the 21st day of February, 1906, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were duly granted to William Monteith, of 109 Pemberton Building, Fort Street, Victoria, British Columbia, in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, on the 30th day of August, 1914, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the said William Monteith, at his address aforesaid, on or before the 2nd day of August, 1915, after which date the said William Monteith will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Sidney Van Allen among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said William Monteith has then had notice, and he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said William Monteith has not had notice at the time of distribution.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1915.

WILLIAM MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorised publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—58782.

NOTICE

Sealed tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 9th day of August, 1915, for the purchase of Lot 9, Subdivision of Section 42, Lake District, containing 7.21 acres, situated about eight miles from the City of Victoria, in the vicinity of Elk Lake, on the road between the East Saanich Road and Cordova Bay.

The upset price is $50 per acre, and any tender received for a less amount will not be considered. Each tender must be separate and plainly endorsed "Tender for Land," and must be accompanied by a certified cheque made payable to the undersigned for a sum equal to one-quarter of the tender. This deposit will be applied as the first instalment of the purchase money in the case of the successful tenderer, the balance to be paid in three equal annual instalments with interest at 6 per cent per annum.

The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Department of Lands, Victoria.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C., July 8, 1915.

NOTICE

In the SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. In the matter of CHARLES ALFRED HARRISON, Deceased,
and
In the matter of the Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Hon. Mr. Justice Morrison, dated the 21st day of June, A.D. 1915, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same to me on or before the 21st day of July, 1915; and all parties indebted to said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 23rd day of June A.D. 1915.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Recovering Roof"; subhead, "B" Storehouse, H. M. C. Dockyard, Esquimalt, B. C.," will be received until 4 p. m. on Monday, July 19, 1915.

Tenders will not be considered unless made upon forms furnished by the Department and in accordance with conditions contained therein.

Specifications can be seen on application to the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the undersigned, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender.

WM. HENDERSON,
Resident Architect.

Department of Public Works of Canada, Victoria, B. C.

AUCTION SALE

Spenlove Bennett & Co.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.

Duly instructed by owners we will sell on

Thursday, July 22,

At 2 o'clock all the

Household Furniture and Effects

At 647 NIAGARA STREET

Consisting of: Chairs, Lino, Curtains, Sewing Machine, Dining Table, Settees, Bedsteads, Wicker Furniture, Carpets, Ornaments, Clocks, Rugs, China, Linen, Dressers, Indian Clubs, Range, Kitchen Utensils, Brass Candlesticks, Electric Iron, Gas Stove, Tea Service, complete; Dinner Service, complete; Glass, Stair Carpet, Portieres, Portable Bath, and other goods.

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SPENLOVE BENNETT & CO.
Auctioneers.

1970 Phone. 1119 Fort Street.

AUCTION SALE

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

MESSRS.
THOMAS EDWARDS & CO.
Auctioneers

Have been instructed by Owner to Sell by Public Auction, at 487 SUPERIOR STREET, JAMES BAY, on

Wednesday, July 28

the whole of the

Furniture and Furnishings

Of the above well appointed home, including some fine mahogany and oak Furniture, Rugs, Silverware, Glassware, etc., etc.

Further particulars of the Auctioneers.

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ANOTHER ADVANCE IN WAR SPECIALTIES

Crucible Steel and Other Shares Connected With Munitions Manufacturing Climb to New High Levels.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Stocks ended the week, almost as they began, with a further boom in the war specialties, many of which were carried to a new high record with gains of 10 to almost 25 points for the brief period. Crucible Steel was again the most conspicuous feature, advancing to 51, with the preferred at 104. Other issues in this class which touched quotations never before reached, included Bethlehem Steel, at 191; Baldwin Loco., at 74¾; American Can preferred, at 105½; and General Motors, at 189½.

Numerous minor industrials, such as Republic Steel common and preferred, Sloss, Sheffield, and Allis-Chalmers common and preferred, made striking gains on fairly large absorption.

In fact, every issue in the so-called industrial and equipment divisions on the stock list was in demand, including some stocks long dormant.

United States Steel was almost the only one of the former market traders to take part in today's movement, rising to 65, its highest quotation of the year. Steel ranked second to Crucible Steel in point of activity, but such erstwhile favorites as Amalgamated Copper, Reading and Union Pacific were inclined to heaviness, when not suffering from actual neglect. Total sales of stocks amounted to 428,000 shares.

Among the stocks without special classification, Pacific Mail was strong as a result of rumors indicating an early sale of the company's steamship holdings on a highly favorable basis. Among the few offsetting features of the short session was a new low record for Missouri, Kansas and Texas preferred, at 13¾. New features bearing on the financial situation included reports from leading centres showing an expansion of demand for merchandise and a further accumulation of "constructive factors."

Improvement is most pronounced in the principal agricultural sections of the country.

An increase of about $5,000,000 in loans and a gain of $6,700,000 in excess reserve were the only features of the weekly bank statement.

Trading in bonds was light, with a steady undertone. Total sales (par value) aggregated $890,000. Panama registered 3's advanced ⅝ per cent on call during the week.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska Gold	35⅜	35	35
Allis-Chalmers	22⅝	18¼	22⅛
do pfd.	63	57⅝	62½
Amal. Copper	74	72⅝	73⅞
Amn. Agr. Chem.	52½	53⅛	53¼
Amn. Beet Sugar	49	48½	48⅛
Amn. Can.	52⅜	51¼	51⅞
Amn. Car. and Fdy.	58½	57½	58½
Amn. Cotton Oil	47⅛	47	45¼
Amn. Ice Securities	25⅝	25½	25⅛
Amn. Locomotive	52⅛	51¼	51½
Amn. Smelting	80¼	79⅝	79¾
Amn. Sugar	..	..	108⅛
Amn. Tel. and Tel.	121½	121⅜	121
Anaconda	35⅛	34⅝	34¾
Atchison	100⅝	100¼	100⅜
Balt. and Ohio	77⅛	76½	76⅝
Bethlehem Steel	191	187	187
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	87½	87¼	87
C. P. R.	143⅝	143¼	143¼
Crucible Steel	51	44	47½
Central Leather	42⅝	42¼	42¼
Ches. and Ohio	...	..	37¼
C. and G. W.	11½	11⅜	11⅛
do pfd.	..	..	28⅛
C. M. and St. P.	81¼	80⅝	81
Colo. Fuel and Iron	36½	34⅞	34¾
Colo. and South.	..	..	24
Con. Gas	128	127⅞	128
Distillers Sec.	25½	25	25
Erie	25½	25⅜	25⅞
do 1st pfd.	..	..	139
do 2nd pfd.	..	..	31
Gen. Motors	184½	186	183
Goodrich	51⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Great Nor. pfd.	115⅞	115⅝	115½
Great Nor. Ore. ctfs.	38¼	37⅝	37½
Guggenheim	62⅝	62	61⅝
Illinois Cent.	..	..	102
Inter-Metro.	20	19	19¼
do pfd.	..	..	72½
Inter. Harvester	..	..	97
Kas. City So.	..	..	23¼
Louis and Nash.	..	..	109½
Lehigh Valley	142¼	142	142
N. Y. Air Brake	104⅝	102⅜	102½
Maxwell Motor	37¼	37	36½
Mex. Petro.	74¼	73¼	73
Federal Smelt.	..	..	34
M. S. P. and S. S. M.	..	..	113
M. K. and T.	5⅝	5¼	5⅛
do pfd.	14	13⅞	14
Mo. Pacific	3⅜	3¼	3⅛
Nat. Biscuit	..	..	119
Nat. Lead	63½	62½	63⅜
Nevada Cons.	14⅝	14⅝	14½
New Haven	57½	57¼	57¼
N. Y. Cent.	..	..	85⅝
N. Y. O. and W.	..	..	25⅞
Norfolk and West	..	..	102½
North. America Co.	..	..	73½
Northern Pac.	104	103¼	103⅝
Pacific Mail	37⅝	35½	35⅝
Pennsylvania	106	105⅞	105⅝
People's Gas	..	..	116⅛
Pittsburg Coal	23¼	22⅝	23⅛
do pfd	..	..	97
Pressed Steel Car	51⅝	50¼	50½
Railway Steel Spg.	..	..	33½
Reading	146⅞	146¼	146⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel	35¼	33	34⅛
do pfd.	91	90½	90½
Sloss Sheffield	39⅜	37⅝	38½
Sou. Pacific	83¼	82¼	82⅞
Sou. Railway	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
do pfd.	..	..	46½
Standard Milling	..	..	56
Studebaker Corp.	82¼	81¼	82
Tenn. Copper	39⅜	38¼	38½
Texas Pacific	..	..	13½
Union Pacific	126½	125⅝	126⅛
do pfd.	..	..	80
U. S. Rubber	47⅝	45⅜	45⅜
do 1st pfd.	..	..	103
U. S. Realty	..	..	33
U. S. Steel	65	63⅝	64⅝
do pfd.	111	110⅝	110⅞
Utah Copper	67½	66⅝	67⅛
Va. Car. Chem.	33⅛	32⅝	32⅛
do pfd.	97	96½	96
Western Union	70	69⅝	69½
Westinghouse	104⅛	103½	103½
Wisconsin Cent.	..	..	28

Total sales—432,700 shares.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, July 17.—The wheat market was strong for the most part, the continuel wet weather in the South causing apprehension. The cash demand was fair for Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 grades of wheat, with very small offerings. Oats and barley were in fair demand and flax still was slow. The same buyers—exporters and Eastern millers—were on the market. The stocks at Fort William and Port Arthus on July 16 were: Wheat, 2,168,367 bushels; oats, 607,531 bushels; barley, 67,817 bushels; flax, 1,200,687 bushels.

The inspections were 125 cars, as against 178 last year, and there were 120 cars in sight.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
July	138½	139½
Oct.	108	108
Dec.	108	108¼
Oats—		
July	63	63
Oct.	..	42¾
Flax—		
July	151¾	152
Oct.	155	156

Cash prices: Wheat—No. 1 Nor., 139¼ No. 2 Nor., 136⅝; No. 3 Nor., 131⅛.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 62¾; No. 3 C. W., 59⅝; extra 1 feed, 59⅝; No. 1 feed, 58½; No. 2 feed, 56⅞.

Barley—No. 3, 71; No. 4, 67; rejected, 60; feed, 60.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., 151½; No. 2 C. W., 148⅛.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS

(Supplied by McDougall & Cowans)

MONTREAL, July 17.—The market was fairly active today, with Dominion Iron again in evidence. The other active issues were Canadian Car, which made an advance of two points, and Shawinigan also regained three points on limited trading.

The market has the appearance of being bare of stock, and would advance easily on any news of a favorable tenor. The market closed steady.

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
B. C. Packers	...	118
Bell Telephone	...	147
Brazil	...	54
Dominion Bridge	...	133¼
Canada Cement	...	28
do pfd.	...	90½
Canadian Pacific	143¼	...
Can. Cotton	...	28
do pfd.	...	71½
Crown Reserve	...	50
Canadian Converters	...	34
Can. Car and Fdy.	65	...
Cedar Rapids	...	60
Detroit United	...	62
Dominion Canners	...	32
Dominion Iron and Steel	32¼	...
do pfd.	...	79
Ill. Traction	...	61
Lake of the Woods	...	135
Laurentide	...	162
A. McDonald Co.	...	8
Mackay Co.	...	80
Montreal Power	215	...
Mexican Light Co.	...	41
Nova Scotia Steel	63	...
Ogilvie Flour Co.	...	120
Ottawa Power	...	120
Penman Limited	...	49
Quebec Railway	...	10¼
Can. S. S.	...	6
Shawinigan	115	...
Sherwin Williams	...	55
do pfd.	...	113
Steel Co., Canada	...	14
Textile	...	71½
Toronto Railway	...	111
Tuckett's Tobacco	...	29
Twin City	...	100
Winnipeg Electric	...	180
Wayagamac	...	31¾
Cedars Bonds	...	86

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
Blackbird Syndicate	15.00	25.00
B. C. Refining	...	.70
B. C. Copper	1.50	1.20
Can. Cons. S. and R.	103.00	...
Coronation Gold	.08	.10
Int. Coal and Coke	.11	.14
Granby (Div.)	.85	.86
Lucky Jim Zinc	.08¾	...
McGillivray Coal	.18	.22
Portland Canal	.01¼	.01¾
Rambler Cariboo	.24	.28
Standard Lead	1.50	1.75
Snowstorm	.10	...
Stewart M. and D.	...	.75
Slocan Star	...	.28
Stewart Land	...	7.50
Victoria Phoenix Brewery	...	116.00
Unlisted—		
American Marconi	250.00	275.00
Canadian Marconi	1.00	1.50
Glacier Creek	.02	.05
Island Investment	...	.22
P. C. Tunnels	...	.05
Victoria Opera (Deb.)	...	.90

GARDENING NOTES

(Supplied by the Department of Agriculture)

During the month of July, when the crops of strawberries and raspberries are harvested, the interest in the care of the patches begins to lag and often they are neglected until the following Spring. This is a great mistake because the vitality of the plants is lowered by being allowed to dry out or become choked with weeds.

In the case of strawberries, the straw should be removed from between the rows (if any has been applied) and if the leaves are at all diseased they should be removed and burned. If no new plants are desired, all runners should be removed and the ground between the rows cultivated to keep the weeds down to conserve moisture. Where more plants are desired, the soil should be well cultivated and the runners encouraged to take root by covering slightly with earth. From three to five runners, depending on the strength of the plant, should be allowed to remain on each plant used for propogation and not over two new plants should be allowed to set on each runner. If proper care is taken this should give fine, strong plants, which may be used for planting in the new bed this Fall or next Spring. Spring planting is generally recommended, although Fall planting gives good results. In either case the ground should be well prepared by cultivation and the addition of barnyard manure before the plants are set. Where new plants were set last Spring or Fall every effort should be made to make them as vigorous as possible in order to produce large returns next Summer.

At the close of the bearing-season of the raspberries special attention should be given to the pruning of the plants. As a rule, the old or bearing canes are left until Fall or Spring, but this is a mistake. When the crop has been picked these canes have performed their function and should be removed and burned. Where they are left, they only tend to prevent the proper growth of the new ones by shading them and using up the moisture they should have, and besides, they may be the cause of the new canes becoming infested with any insect pest or disease they may have. Where more new canes are being produced than are needed, the weakest ones should be removed with the old canes. From eight to ten canes per plant are sufficient for the next year's crop, but two or three additional canes, which can be removed the following Spring if not needed, should be left in case of injury to any of the others. The final pruning is usually given in the Spring, when the fruiting canes are cut back to a height of about four feet.

The same cultivation recommended for strawberries shrould be given to raspberries. The young plants found growing around the old ones should be cut out as they appear, unless desired for planting in a new bed.

In propagating either raspberries or strawberries, it is well to secure the young plants for the new bed from the old plants which have produced the best crops of berries. The selection of the parent plants should be done while they are in fruit. A small stake or mark by the plant will serve to indicate the best plants later when new ones are needed.

This selection of seed or plants with superior qualities should be done with all fruits and vegetables. The results are very prominent, and when one once begins it, he seldom needs further persuasion to make him continue.

Poultry Suggestions

The cost of feeding poultry can be considerably reduced where the fowls are kept well supplied with garden refuse, such as outer leaves of cabbages, lettuce, beet tops, etc. Most of the weeds are relished by the fowls—dandelions, wild mustard, sorrel, pig-weed, etc.

Now that the molting season has commenced, a little extra attention given the fowls will be well repaid. Where possible, the breeding stock and layers should be placed on range, and the unoccupied yards cleaned up. All surplus stock should be marketed now. It seems to be the universal practice among ranchers to keep the fowls till they have stopped laying completely, before marketing. It is far better to commence culling now, as the price is bound to drop later on when the market is flooded.

The male birds should also be marketed now, unless it is the intention of breeders to keep them over. In that case, they should be removed to bachelors' quarters. Care should be taken to see that they are properly treated. A good dusting with insect powder is generally necessary at this time. See that they are fed a variety of wholesome food. Oftentimes, male birds are placed in small, mite-infested, filthy coops, and fed on a diet of wheat and stagnant water, with occasionally a little mash when their owner happens to think of it.

[The Department of Agriculture will be glad to answer any question on agricultural matters. Queries may be sent in to The Colonist.]

LOCAL MARKETS

Vegetables		
Beans, green, 4 lbs.		.25
Beans, Wax, 4 lbs.		.25
Beets, 3 bunches		.10
Cabbage, lb.		.03½
Carrots, 3 bunches		.10
Celery, Okan., 2 bunches		.25
Cucumbers, Hot H., each		.10
Lettuce, local, head		.05
Marrows, lb.		.04
Onions, Green, 3 bndls.		.10
Onions, Cal., dry, 8 lbs.		.25
Parsley, bunch		.05
Peas, 6 lbs.		.25
Potatoes, new, sack		1.25
Potatoes, new, 16 lbs.		.25
Rhubarb, 7 lbs.		.25
Turnips, 3 bndls.		.10
Tomatoes, local H. H., lb.	.15 and	.20
Watercress, bunch		.05
Watermelons, lb.		.03
Radishes, 3 bunches		.05
Fruits		
Apples, local, 3 lbs.		.25
Apricots, crate		1.15
Bananas, doz.		.30
Blackberries, basket		.15
Canteloupes, Cal., each	.10 and	.15
Cherries, local table, lb.		.20
Cherries, Olivette, 3 lbs.		.25
Cherries, Morella, 3 lbs.		.25
Grapefruit, Cal., 3 for		.25
Grapefruit, Cal., lower grade, each		.05
Lemons, Cal., dozen		.30
Loganberries, 3 bskts.		.25
Oranges Valencia, dozen	.30, .40 and	.50
Peaches, local		.26
Peaches, Cal., bskt.		.40
Pears, Bartlett, bskt.		.25
Pineapples, each		.25
Plums, Cal., bskt.	.40, .50 and	.60
Raspberries, local, bskt.		.12½
Sugar		
B.C. Granulated, 20 lbs.		1.60
B.C. Granulated, 100 lbs		7.75
Dairy Produce and Eggs		
Butter—		
Comox, lb.		.40
Cowichan Creamery, lb.		.45
Eastern Creamery, lb.		.35
New Zealand, lb.		.45
Northwest Creamery, lb.		45
Cheese—		
Canadian, lb.		.25
Canadian Stilton, lb.		.30
English Stilton, lb.		.50
Eggs, local dozen		.35
Eggs, contest, dozen		.40
Feed		
Barley, 100 lbs.		2.20
Barley, ground, 100 lbs.		2.30
Bran, 100 lbs.		1.75
Corn, 100 lbs.		2.20
Corn, cracked, 100 lbs.		2.25
Oats, 100 lbs.		2.20
Oats, crushed, 100 lbs.		2.30
Shorts, 100 lbs.		1.90
Wheat, No. 1, 100 lbs.		2.50
Wheat, No. 2, 100 lbs.		2.40
Hay, Alfalfa, ton	22.00 to	24.00
Hay, Timothy, ton	20.00 to	22.00
Straw, bale		.75
Flour		
B. & K. Bread Flour, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Purity, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Five Roses, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Robin Hood, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Royal Household, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Royal Standard, 49-lb. sk.		1.90
Gold Seal, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Snowflake, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Wild Rose, 49-lb. sack		1.90
Meats		
Beef, loin roasts, lb.	.28 and	.30
Beef, ribs, lb.	.18 to	.22
Beef, boiling, lb.	.10 to	.15
Mutton, forequarters, lb.		.18
Mutton, hindquarters, lb.		.25
Chickens, lb.	.25 to	.35
Fowl, lb.		.30
Broilers, lb.		.35
Fryers, each		50
Ducks, young, lb.	.35 to	.35
Geese, lb.		.35
Bacon, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.25 to	.30
Hams, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.18 to	.25
Pork, Shoulders, lb.	.15 to	.18
Pork, Loins, lb.	.18 to	.20
Pork Legs, lb.	.18 to	.20
Pork Sausage, pure		.20
Turkeys, cold storage, lb.		.30
Fish		
Bloaters, lb.		.10
Cod, lb.		.10
Finnan Haddie, lb.		.15
Halibut, lb.		.12½
Halibut, smoked, lb.		.18
Herring, lb.		.05
Herring, Kippered, lb.		.10
Oysters, Esquimalt, doz.		.50

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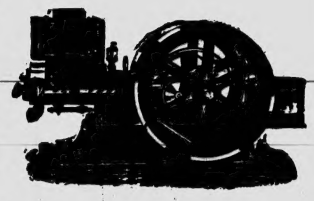
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WOMEN EAGER TO GIVE HELP

Procession of Fifty Thousand Parades London Streets and Asks for War Work—Deputation to Minister.

LONDON, July 17.—Fifty thousand women of England gathered today on Victoria Embankment and paraded through the streets with banners flying to demonstrate their enthusiastic desire to be enlisted in the services of the country. There was a remarkable scene when the Minister of Munitions, Mr. David Lloyd George, accompanied by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, appeared on a platform overlooking the Embankment, along which the procession made its way.

The main body of the procession was made up of groups representing France, Russia, Japan, Serbia, and Poland in national costumes. Thousands of banners were borne in the procession and a hundred bands played stirring music. Some of the inscriptions on the banners were: "Shells made by a wife may save a husband," British women will beat the German women," "Women will save England." The main thoroughfares of the city were packed, and the marchers were given an enthusiastic welcome. They proceeded to the Ministry of Munitions, where the demands of the marchers were presented to Mr. David Lloyd George, the head of the department.

At the Embankment, in response to loud cries for a speech, the Minister said that the Government proposed to utilize the services of everyone prepared to assist, and declared that victory would eventually be won. There were dark clouds looming in the East but he looked to the indomitable courage of Russia to meet this hurricane, declaring that Russia would emerge once more formidable and deadly to help the great democratic cause in the West achieve a victory for the freedom of Europe."

The people of England, said the Minister, were panting for help. They had panted twelve months behind to catch the foe, who had been preparing for years, but they would catch him.

The conclusion of the Minister's speech was the signal for a great patriotic demonstration. Flags were waved, while the bands played the national anthem.

ITALIAN SUCCESS

Repulse of Austrian Attack Near Lake Garda Is Followed by Capture of Two Passes

ROME, July 17.—Another Italian success west of Lake Garda was announced in a statement given out today at the Italian headquarters, signed by Lieut.-General Count Cadorna, and dated July 16. The statement reads as follows:

"In the upper Valdemonica the enemy, having advanced through Venerodolol and Brizia passes, made an attack in force against our positions near Ilifugio Garibaldi, but was repulsed with loss, leaving a few prisoners in our hands.

"Our troops, after driving back the enemy, occupied the two passes, which are at a height of more than ten thousand feet.

"In Carnia, the enemy, profiting by fog and darkness, delivered during the afternoon and evening of July 14 two determined attacks on Mount Cogliano and Mount Pizzo Avostino. Both attacks were repulsed. It was ascertained that the enemy's loss was thirty-three dead, including one officer.

"In the Isonzo region, the situation at Preppipaphy is unchanged. The enemy, by small attacks, especially at night, and by heavy artillery fire continually has sought to cause losses to hamper our slow advance, and above all to force our batteries to reply, and thus reveal our positions."

JAIL BREAK PREVENTED

One "Trustie" at Tacoma Assaults Another and Secures Keys—Jailer Notified Just in Time

TACOMA, July 17.—At the point of a revolver Night Jailer James Leak frustrated a desperate attempt at jail delivery at the county jail here tonight after fifteen men had been released from their cells.

Charles Foster, a "trustie" serving a sentence of one year for robbery, attacked Joe Yetter, another "trustie," with a baseball bat, knocking him down and binding and gagging him. Yetter had been entrusted with the keys of a number of cells, and Foster took these from him and opened about fifteen cell doors.

A prisoner rushed to Leak with the news and the latter forced Foster at the point of the gun into a dark cell. The other prisoners were then locked up. Yetter was taken to the county hospital, badly injured by the blow on the head.

Strike at Remington Works

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 17.—J. J. Keppler, international vice-president of the Machinists' Union, who headed a committee which went today to the plant of the Remington Arms Company to present demands formulated by a strike meeting of the Bridgeport machinists last night, announced today that a general strike of machinists would be called on Monday. He said that Major Walter G. Penfield, general manager of the Remington Arms Coming, had refused to deal with the committee.

President and Secretary

CORNISH, N. H., July 17.—President Wilson was in communication today with Secretary Lansing regarding the German situation, and the conference yesterday between the secretary and Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador. There will be no further developments in the situation, however, until the president returns to Washington at the beginning of next week.

Sworn in as Minister

ROME, July 17.—The oath was administered to Signor Barzilai, the new member of the Italian Cabinet without portfolio, at the front in the presence of Signor Salandra, the Prime Minister, who went to the King's headquarters to request that the decree be signed.

Canadian Soldiers Subscribe

LONDON, July 17.—The British war loan was canvassed among the soldiers at the front, and the success it attained in the trenches may be gauged by the fact that over $600 was subscribed by the Second Field Company, Canadian Engineers.

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OUR regular stock of best grade English Voiles and embroidered Crepes are marked for an extraordinary clearance Monday. After a quick season's selling of these popular Dress Fabrics we have accumulated quite a big assortment of lengths, just sufficient for one, two, or three dresses. These, together with a number of full-length pieces, will make up this special sale, which will give women an unusual opportunity to acquire a new dress length of the finest grade at a rare bargain price. Early shoppers will have their choice from pretty spot and floral designs, also from neat embroidered floral designs. Further particulars by examining the samples in View Street windows. —Main Floor

White and Colored Summer Dresses in the Most Fashionable Styles Priced Specially at $12.50



WITH such fine grade materials—dainty styles—pretty colorings—priced at so low a figure, we are quite certain that we can be entrusted to supply your Summer Dress needs. In this range of Dresses, there's practically no two alike—a feature that all women appreciate—and there's a splendid variety to choose from. Included are very pretty styles in fancy muslins of striped, spot and floral designs, neatly embroidered muslins in white, also in colors. Some models are very smartly trimmed with silk and satin girdles, others have trimmings of lace on collar and sleeves. Dresses that can only be appreciated by seeing, so we invite you to come in and look them over Monday.

They are very specially priced at **$12.50**

—First Floor

Silk News for Monday

Silk Crepe de Chines, in neat floral designs, in colors amethyst, grey, reseda, champagne, cherry, pale blue, taupe and rose pink. Values $1.75 to $2.50. Clearing at, yard **$1.25**

Silk Crepe de Chines, in pretty floral effects, in colors saxe blue, yellow, buttercup and rose; 38 to 40 in. wide. $1.75 value clearing at, yard **$1.25**

Satin Stripes, in pale blue, cream, mauve and white; 44 in. wide. Special at, yard **$2.00**

Silk Pique, very smart for suits and dresses; in colors of sea green, cream, white and black; 32 in. wide. Value $2.50. Here to sell at, yard **$1.50**

—Main Floor

White Wash Skirts at $1.50

Well-made Skirts, from a nice quality white rep, buttoning right down front with detachable buttons. Special value.. **$1.50**

—First Floor

New Outing Waists in Awning Stripes

THE new awning stripe Middies received such a warm reception that manufacturers have extended the use of this material to Outing Waists. During the past week we opened up the first shipment, and they are certainly very striking and are already finding a quick sale. This Waist is made in a good serviceable style, with turned down novelty collar, three-quarter length sleeves and two patch pockets. The colors are emerald, royal, sky, rose and black striped with white. Very specially priced at **$1.50**

—First Floor

Early Delivery of New Fall Suits

in plain-tailored styles, beautifully finished in navy blue serges, satin-lined. Our special at, suit **$15.00**

—First Floor

A New Shipment of Children's All-Wool Sweater Coats

WE have just opened up an early delivery of our famous all-wool Sweater Coats for children. These come in a nice medium weight of all wool, made coat shape, with military collar and pockets. In sizes six months to ten years, and you choose from colors saxe blue, tan, cardinal and white. Priced according to size, from $1.25 to **$2.25**

—First Floor

Men's and Boys' Bathing Suits

Boys' Bathing Suits, one-piece style, with skirt attached. All sizes. Special at ..... **50¢**

Men's One-Piece Bathing Suits. Special at 75c and ..... **50¢**

Men's Two-Piece Bathing Suits. Regular $1.00 value for ... **75¢**

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—Main Floor

Silk Gloves for Ladies

Queen Quality Silk Gloves, made from heavy silk, finished with double tips, 2 clasps, black and white only. Better grade quality. At, pair ..... **75¢**

Queen Quality Silk Gloves, heavier quality; double tips and black and white points. At, pair .. **$1.00**

Queen Quality Long Silk Gloves, in white and black. At, per pair **$1.25**

—Main Floor

Men's Imported Flannel Shirts at a Substantial Saving

MEN who wear Flannel Shirts have an unusual opportunity to buy in a stock to last them through next Winter, at a rare bargain price. We have a few dozen of these famous quality Shirts, in a medium weight flannel in light fancy stripes in greens, tans, blue and grey. Each Shirt is well made and neatly finished with soft double cuff and soft collar band, with a separate soft double collar to match. Shirts that regularly sell at $4.50 marked at a special clearing price on Monday at **$2.50**

—Main Floor

New Cotton Crepe Dressing Gowns in Attractive Colorings

In the Mantle Department we are showing an entirely new range of Women's Dressing Gowns. These come in attractive colors made from cotton crepes. Artistic Japanese styles, with big sleeves and trimmings of satin ribbon. Your choice from colors mauve, pale blue, red and pink. Splendid values at $3.50 and **$2.90**

—First Floor

Bath Soap and Antiseptic Rubber Face Cloth for 25c

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To introduce the "Broadway Bath Soap" to our patrons, we are offering for a limited time a regular full-size cake, together with an Antiseptic Rubber Face Cloth for half price.

Venetian Bath Tablets, round, English style, at, cake, 15c. Special, 2 for ..... **25¢**

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—Drugs, Main Floor

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ONE of the most fashionable Shoes of the moment is the "Kewpie" Colonial. It's a smart patent pump, with a small ornament and point at throat. Tops of white, putty and sand kid, also black cloth. A very smart Summer Shoe at a popular price **$4.50**

New White Canvas Tennis Pumps, with rubber sole. At, pair **$2.00**

Bathing Sandals, with stocking attached. Reg. $1.50 value, clearing at, pair **$1.00**

White Canvas Bathing Shoes, with string ties—
Women's at, pair ..... **35¢**
Girls', sizes 11 to 2, at, pair ..... **30¢**
Children's, sizes 4 to 10, at, pair ..... **25¢**

—First Floor

Officers' Khaki Flannel Shirts Made to Order

Officers who require correct style Army Shirts will be glad to note that we now make, special to order, Shirts, in coat or closed style, with two military pockets, shoulder straps and two separate collars, any size to 17 neck, at the inclusive price of, each, **$3.50**

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NEGOTIATIONS END IN FAILURE

Efforts to Settle Colliery Dispute in South Wales So Far Unsuccessful—Miners Object to Proclamation.

LONDON, July 17.—The members of the executive council of the South Wales coal miners' organization, who came to London to confer with Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, have returned to Cardiff, having found it impossible to reach a basis for negotiations in the coal dispute. There is now no hope of the men returning to work before the middle of next week, if they do then. Already some industries in South Wales are being hampered by a shortage of coal.

Besides their original terms, of which the principal demand was a five per cent raise in wages, the men now insist on the cancellation of the royal proclamation bringing the miners under the "no strikes" act. Meantime the tribunal set up under this measure is preparing to act, and unless the miners' delegates to the meeting to be held in Cardiff on Monday to receive a report of the executive council regarding their visit to London, show some sign of compromise, the tribunal will commence sessions to try the men guilty of striking.

In order to conserve the coal supplies, steps are being taken to stop any leaving the country. Neutral steamers hereafter will be allowed only sufficient coal to carry them to their first port, and exports are being strictly curtailed.

Mr. Asquith will call an extraordinary session of the Cabinet on Monday to deal with the walkout of the coal miners.

CHANGES IN GREECE

Foreign Minister Zographos Retires, and Former Premier Venizelos May May Succeed Him

ATHENS, July 17.—Foreign Minister Zographos resigned today. M. Venizelos, former prime minister, who has strongly advocated an alliance with Great Britain, France, and Russia, is expected to be his successor. Venizelos is expected to announce his foreign policy this evening.

Although King Constantine's physicians declare that his condition is satisfactory, and that he is convalescing normally after his severe illness, they have ordered him to abstain from all participation in political discussions.

M. Zographos became foreign minister on March 9, when the Gounaris cabinet was formed following the resignation of M. Venizelos and his cabinet, who refused to continue in office because the King declined to accept Venizelos' views regarding the action Greece should take during the war. The retirement of Zographos is believed to indicate that Greece will abandon her neutrality and enter the war on the side of the Allies.

All Can Buy in States

MILAN, Italy, July 17.—Commenting upon the Austrian note to the United States protesting against the shipment of war munitions to the Entente powers, The Corriere Della Sera points out that the United States never has refused to supply munitions to the central empires, but that Germany and Austria are unable to obtain them from that country because of the superior naval power of the Allies. "The American market is open to all," says the paper. "If the Government were to close it to the Allies it would commit a violation of neutrality in favor of the central empires."

TURKEY SHORT OF AMMUNITION

Failure to Receive Supplies From Germany Makes Dardanelles Situation Serious—Food Scarcity Also Felt.

MILAN, Italy, July 17.—Information from trustworthy private sources is to the effect that the Turks are running short of ammunition. The German officers and the Turkish officers and men are at odds.

The condition in Constantinople is deplorable, and medicines and ambulance stores of first necessity are wanted. Bread is getting scarce. The harvest in Anatolia is mediocre.

Turkish Government circles show great anxiety, and the spirit in the army is much depressed. Rumors continue to circulate in Constantinople that the recent death of Count Lutzow, military attache, was not, as reported, due to an automobile accident, but that he was assassinated by the Turks.

All the secret archives of the German Embassy have been sent away from Constantinople under charge of the naval attache.

Germany is beginning to distrust the loyalty of the Turks, and is unwilling to furnish them with more munitions for fear they will fall into the hands of the Allies.

Japanese Pearls Stolen

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Pearls valued at $2,700 were stolen today from the Japanese Government's exhibit in the Palace of Agriculture at the exposition grounds.